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King-Serna Wedding Vows Spoken

On Saturday, December 13, at 7:30 in the evening, Miss Dixann King and Mr. Patrick R. Serna were united in marriage by Reverend Robert K. Davis, pastor of the First Bap-tist Church of Elba. The mony was held in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Cecil L. Wicker, parents of the bride. Miss King is the daughter of the late Mr. Roy King.

Parents of the groom are Mr. and Mrs. Adolfo L. Serna. of Daleville, Alabama. Mr. Fred Harper, Jr. greeted the guests and invited them into the living room, where they were registered by Mrs. Ted Maddin, aunt of the bride, of Mobile. The table holding the guest book was overlaid with a round white fringed tablecloth upon which was placed an arrangement of yellow crysanthemums and baby's breath held in an antique shaving mug which belonged to the bride's

The bride, given in marriage by her brother, Mr. Roy Ellis King, wore a wedding gown of ivory pequ do soie, accented with alencon lace. The gown featured a scoop neck-line, long sleeves and a full A-line skirt that extended into a chape length train with motiffs of lace scattered over the train and skirt. Her waist length veil was of ivory illusion edged in lace. The bridal bouquet was an arrangement of miniature white roses accented with baby's breath and stephanotis, placed on a background of ivory lace with streamers of ivory ribbon.

Mrs. Larry Miller, matronof - honor and Mrs. Leon Augustus Boyd, IV, bridesmatron wore identical floor length a lace candlelight shoulder

man was Mr. Robert Ford of Newton and groomsman was Mr. Leon Augustus Boyd, IV, cousin of the bride. Candlelights were Bert Morrow and Johnny Morrow, of Mobile, both cousins of the of Mobile, both cousins of the

Mr. Jimmy Pierce of Opp, organist, played selections of traditional wedding music. Following the wedding, a reception was held in the home. invited the guests into the dining room where an assortment of dainty refreshments were served. Presiding at the punch bowls were Mrs. L. A. Grimes were assisted in serving by Misses Gyspy Morrow and Mil-

On December 6, a luncheon honoring Miss Dixann King, whose marriage to Mr. Patrick Serna was an event of December 13, was held in the home of Mrs. Lohn B. Harver and camellias on a table covered with Brussels lace. After being serving punch, the guests were holding baby's breath sashed with blue ribbon, tulle and a wedding ring. All other aphome of Mrs. John B. Harper, with Mrs. Fred Harper, Sr. serving as co-hostess. The front door was decorated with wedding rings of ing table was covered with a of frozen strawberry salad, hand embroidered table cloth oriental chicken in pastry adorned with white doves. The from China with a blue under- shells, beans with almond chandelier in the entrance hall

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rate/rank, the Division or Air

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The holiday season at Troy

meaningful time for us.

gives us a chance to reflect

on the many blessings which

blessings possible. Certainly

you, through your diligence and

good work in keeping the people of our state informed, are

among those blessings fo

All of us wish for you and

for your family a very Merry Christmas and a most happy

and prosperous New Year. We wish, too, that you would

when there are times we can

TROY STATE UNIVERSITY

University has been an erro-

neous news report some weeks

Dear Ferrin:

Ralph W. Adams

silver candlesacks jointed to bride.

covered the bride's table which Alabama.

the centerpiece by strands of

The staff of HRDC wishes

white ribbon.

PEAKING

It is now the time of year when thoughts are turned to-1975 has been an exceptional paper and decorations. Smiles, easier and more pleasant. friendly greetings and merry for you and yours a very Merry wishes fill the air. It's Christ- Christmas and a New Year I wish to take this method to thank you on behalf of the God's blessings.

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ago that this institution re-Concrete in appropriations from the legislature than we requested. That report was clarified NOW OPEN and retracted in The Birmingwe are grateful for that action. ON A FULL-TIME BASIS article for your information, since the original, erroneous 6:30 A.M. - 4:00 P.M. article led to several other

BOB INMAN SATURDAY MORNING DELIVERY- IF Director of University Relations THE UNIVERSITY OF ORDER IS RECEIVED BY 4:00 P.M FRIDAY

Bridal Lunch

Held In

Boyd Home

Mrs. L. A. Boyd, III, honored her niece, Miss Dixann King with a bridal luncheon in her home at New Brockton Members of the wedding party enjoyed a buffet of smoked ham and beef, rice, bing cherry salad, peas and an assortment of relishes. Amprosia and red velvet cake were served for dessert. The dining table was covered with piece of fall flowers and double glass candlesticks hold ing white tapers.

After Rehearsal

Dinner Held

December 12

Mrs. L. A. Grimes enterained at an after-rehearsal dinner in her home on December 12, honoring Miss Dixann, Close For Holidays King and Mr. Patrick Serna. The dinner table was covered with a lace cloth which held double fostoria candlesticks at either end. A buffet of baked of Pensions and Security anfour of Us," with Max and Mike ham, potato salad, rice, congealed salad, green beans and potato souffle was enjoyed by spersed with miniature white held a four tiered cake topped members of the wedding party.

and on January 1. ride. row, Miss Valerie Howard, Following a wedding trip Mr. Bonneau Rowe, Mr. Larry Kleinert's white ribbon
A lace floor length cloth covered the bride'stable which

to the Florida coast, the couple will reside at Level Plains, Alabama.

Miller, Mrs. Robert Ford, Dr. and Mrs. John E. Morrow and Mr. and Mrs. L. A. Boyd, III. **Employees To** Get Increase

shown in to the dining room by
Miss Tiffany Harper. The dinof silver. A delicious luncheon

Kleinert's, Inc.
In his annour Chafin noted Kleinert's recognition of the support received from the people of Elba since was entwined with ivy and white was an arrangement of beets and a dessert of cherry the inception of the Kleinert's facility. The plant employs

lie Pierce. The punch table, draped in white tulle inter- were shown from here into the draped in white tulle inter- were shown from here into the baby's breath flanked by sil- jubilee was enjoyed by the jubilee was enjoyed by the area. with a gift of silver from the VETERANS.

I am seeking men and officers who served aboard the might aircraft carrier, the U.S. TICONDEPOCA From Harper, Sr.

Mr. Galimore Enjoyed 85th Birthday Party was honored on his 85th birth-Community for 20 years prior day with a party held Friday, to moving to Elba where he has resided for the past 20 given by the ladies of the Mul-Mr. Galimore is the father lins Apartments. Mr. Galimore was born December 20, 1890 in Coffee of 6 children. He has 18 grandchildren and 29 great-grand-Country Club Pensions And Security Office To To Sponsor Dance The Eina Country Club will sponsor a dance on Sat-Lucile C. McMinn, Directfrom 9:00 p.m. until 1:00 a.m.

nounces that the Department Reeves. will observe the State Holiday Admission is \$5.00 per schedule with offices (main schedule in Elba and Food Stamp dembers and their out-ofoffice in Elba and Food Stamp
Office in New Brockton) being
county guests are invited to Nursing Home

Residents Enjoy The increase was finalized and approved by Mr.
Peter Chiarella, President of Peter Chiarella, Pr eight farms, now.) In his announcement, Mr. to enjoy the program. the residents were available





Santa Claus Comes To Town "HERE COMES SANTA CLAUS, HERE COMES SANTA CLAUS," RIGHT DOWN be of help to you in any way. SIMMONS STREET IN ELBA. THE YEARLY VISITOR MADE HIS WAY THROUGH TOWN

LAST SATURDAY ON THE ELBA FIRE TRUCK, AS MANY ADMIRERS RAN ALONGSIDE FOR GLIMPSES OF SANTA AND SOME "CHRISTMAS CANDY."

Army Guard Campaign Under Way

Army Guard and in no instance

be more than 25 miles from

campaign to give Alabama the A matter of concern to the largest assigned Army Guard strength in the nation is now underway in the state. ago that this institution re-ceived some \$2 million more Wallace and Maj. Gen. Charles A. Rollo, the adjutant general

of Alabama, jointly announced the campaign which will be called "Operation #1 In The The drive, which will con-I am attaching a copy of that clude February 20, is aimed at gaining 1,000 new members for the Alabama Army National Guard to enable the State press accounts throughout the to surpass New York and Cal-My best wishes for the holi- Guard strength.

ifornia in total assigned Army "While we rank 21st in population, we now have the third largest Army Guard strength in the nation," Wallace noted. "Only New York and California, our two most populous states, have

Recruiting Office at the State Military Department showed mory system in the nation with at least one armory and unit Guard members at the end of November. New York had 19,607 and California had 40,436 members. Thus, Alabama trailed New York by 719 mory. "The full-time tech-and California by 548 mem-nician there can give any perbers on November 30. "The Alabama National Guard brings more than \$62 new member gained during

Guard," Rollo concluded. Governor Wallace lauded million into Alabama each the performance of the present year in federal funds. Each members of the Guard also. "The Alabama Guard has this drive will mean additional built a proud heritage of ser-federal monies for the state in vice to our state and nation. the form of weekend drill and summer camp pay along with themselves capable of augmore supporting funds," Rollo menting our regular forces in said.

General Rollo pointed out the large number of Guard the State made it posunits in the State made it possible for a person to join the state."

NATIONAL SECURITY LIFE INSURANCE in every county," Rollo pointed out. He urged anyone interested in joining the Guard to contact their nearest ar-

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I guess all y'all have been doing exactly what I've been move behind the sheers under my draperies and suddenly. doing this past week, and that is putting up that special tree. Of course, Christmas trees aren't past Baby Sister and ran straight up to the top of my what they used to be. Up until the time I moved from Elba to Christmas tree. Would you believe it, it was the cutest little Cullman, we never had anything but a real, sure 'nuff holly tree, red berries and all. ole baby squirrel you ever saw! He was sitting right up on the top limb with his little paws up And if you've never seen one and I guess that squirrel thof those all gussied up, you don't know what a gorgeous ought that was the most exotic tree he'd ever been in. He was Christmas tree really is.
From the time I was in Sister didn't just have him about the fourth grade, I decotreed, she had him Christmasrated for our school in Elba and just loved it. Then later,

The company came and ooohed and ahhhed about the governor and I was keeping house at the mansion for him, realistic squirrel sitting in my tree and ft was really a con-I really let loose with fixing up the mansion for the holiversation piece. We pondered days and opened it to the pubthe proble n and finally locked up Baby Lister and called the Thinking back to those days good ole Fire Department. They very gently removed the always reminds me of Grover Hall, the late, great editor of the Montgomery Advertiser. eral Christmas balls and a He was ALWAYS there at gross of tinsel) and there went Christmas. In fact, it seems the cutest Christmas tree atto me that practically everybody in the state of Alabama in through the chimney, of course, so at least SOMEcame over during the holidays. It was at one of our big Christmas open houses that a young lawyer in the state legislature that Christmas, even if it wasn't ole St. Nick! came with his wife, and caught So Merry Christmas to all James' children and my childand next week I ren, Charles and Cornelia, hiding under the stairs (they Troy to judge the cutest, crazshould have been in bed) watchiest and most fun baby contest ing all the guests come in. That young lawyer was George

Y'all come RUBY

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most accepted

by a germ that

packs a poison

since then! Well, back to Christmas rees, which have sure gone sky-high and I don't mean their size. I guess even Santa Claus' elves are on minimum wage now, and probably all have So-cial Security numbers. So, with lockjaw? This disease is given the price of trees what it is, this name because the muscles it's lucky that I've been grow- of the neck, jaws and throat are ing my own. Yessir, I've been always the first to manifest the planting cedars in my yard for. years. Before that, we used to get them off the plantation in Elba. (It WAS a plantation back in Papa's time, but since it got divided between eight of us. I guess you'd just call it

Wallace and I guess you might

say that was the first time he

ever met Cornelia. Sure been

a lot of water under the bridge

when my brother James was

Last week we cut the biggest cedar in the yard. It was about 18 feet tall and we had to keep of the New Hebrides poisoned lopping off the bottom to get their arrow heads with the dirt down to the 14 feet I wanted. from c"ab holes in the swamps. This year I decided to do something really Alabama-like and I pure growth of tetanus germs. This dirt was found to contain a bet you'll never see this in the frozen north. Idecorated with All suspicious wounds should cotton bolls, picked right off receive prompt attention by a the plant, and you wouldn't doctor. If the wound is contami believe how soft and pretty nated with garden earth, street they look. I've also got them dust, house dirt or other materistuck in a big lighted green al that can carry the tetanus wreath over my mantel and germ—an injection of tetanus pranches of them in vases on antiroxin is always advisable. But no matter what I do for When you need First Aid sup-

Christmas decorations, I'll plies—see us! Prescriptions—we never be able to duplicate the fill them accurately, speedily most unique tree ornament I've and with special care. ever had. It was a year or MEDICAL ARTS so ago and it happened this way. PHARMACY The tree was all lighted and the mistletoe hung and the wise ELBA, AL., 897-2511 men in place and company was coming. Rosa, my maid, was in HINT FOR THE HOME: A the kitchen when she heard temporary remedy for scratch-Baby Sister, my dog, barking es on your car is to use a crayto beat the band. She was yelp- on, the color of your car, then ing at a window by the fire- dab with clear fingernail pol place and Rosa saw something ish.

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NOTICE OF SALE UNDER tain Real Estate Mortgage executed by Clarence J. Rigdon and Linda Lou Rigdon, his wife, to the United States of America, acting by and through the Farmers Home Ad-

County, Alabama on Septem- to subject property. ber 25, 1°73 in Mtg. Book 58-A, pages 423-426; and The entire indebtedness Estate Mortgage having been declared due and payable as cluding a reasonable attorneys therein provided, the under-signed, the United States of merica, acting through its cember, 1975. authorized representative, under and in compliance with Estate Mortgage, will proceed o sell at public outcry, for cash, to the highest bidder in front of the Courthouse of said County, during the legal hours

of sale, on the 8th day of January, 1976, the following by said Real Estate Mortgage Lot No. 4, Block A, of Cedar Ridge Subdivision in the City of Elba, Alabama, according to the plat of said sut Office at Elba, Alabama.

division recorded in Plat Book . Page 63, in the Probate The proceeds of said sale will be applied to the payment of said indebtedness other charges, and the expenses of sale, as provided in said Real Estate Mortgage o the United States America.

This 20th day of Novem-UNITED STATES OF AMERICA By: /s/ John A. Garrett State Director (Alabama) Farmers Home Administra-United States Department of

STATE OF ALABAMA COUNTY OF COFFEE NOTICE OF MORTGAGE FORECLOSURE SALE

scribed therein, said morg-gage being recorded in the of-fice of the Judge of Probate by 100 feet on Reynolds St-

where and by the Mortgagors-in the payment of the indebtedness secured by said mortgage and in the performance of the terms of said Mortgage and said default continuing:

NOW, THEREFORE, L. B.

Plant and Agnes F. Plant, the owners of said mortgage, will sell, under and by virtue of the power of sale at public auction, all the right, title, and interest of the above named Lizzie P Tyson and Albert Tyson, in and to the above described prop-Carpets & Vinyl Covering

gage described as follows:

first edition to the Cedar Ridge Subdivision in the City of Elba Default having been made in the payment of the indebtedness secured by that cer- subdivision in Plat Book 1, at page 73, in the Probate Office, Elba, Alabama. NOTE: Said sale, and any

conveyance made in consummation thereof, will be made ministration, United States
Department of Agriculture,
Tax liens, if any, and/or sperecorded in the Office of the
Judge of Probate for Coffee
might adversely affect the title Said sale will be made for the purpose of realizing the secured by the said Real Mortgage debts, together with

> This the 8th day of De-'S/ L. B. Plant and Agne. 12-18-3tc LEGAL NOTICE

I will not be responsible for any debts other than those made by myself.
T. C. WHITMAN 12-18-4tc NOTICE OF SHERIFF SSALL IN THE INFERIOR COURT OF COFFEE COUNTY.

NOTICE OF SHERIFF'S SALE IN THE INFERIOR COURT OF COFFEE COUNTY, AL. BAMA. ELBA DIVISION CASE NO. 88

Field Enterprises Educational Corporation, a Delaware Corporation, Plaintiff, vs. Lizzie Tyson and Albert Tys-

of fieri facias issued out of the Clerk's Office of the Cirbour County and State of Ala bama, and to me directed, whereby I am commanded ! make the amount of a certain against Lizzie P. Tyson an Albert Tyson out of the goods of the said Lizzie P Tyse

and Albert Tyson I have levie Tyson and Albert Tyson sub ject to all prior encumbrance

WHFREAS, John D Plant and wife. Ann Plant executed All of real estate owned to the Peoples Bank, a corp- by the above named defendoration, on the 4th day of June ants in Coffee County. Ala-1668, a mortgage upon the real bama with all the improveestate hereinafter described to secure an indehtedness de-

of Coffee County, Alabama, at reet and a five room block Elba, Alabama, in Mortgage residence on Reynolds St Book 43-A, at pages 340-341; reet in Elba, Al. located in and which said mortgage was Mulberry Heights Subdivision duly transferred and assigned being lots 1 and 2 of Block by the Peoples Bank, a corp-oration, to L. B. Plant, and 5, Range 20, Section 7. Agnes F. Plant, husband and This being the same prop-wife, by Assignment dated 1 erty conveyed to the Gateway December 1975, recorded in Investment Company, Inc. Miscellaneous Book 24, at page 605, in the office of the Judge Tyson by that certain deed f Probate of Coffee County, dated September 25, 1959 and Alabama, at Eiba, Alabama: recorded in the Office of the

terms of said Mortgage and for sale at public auction, all

said Mortgage, at 11:45 o'clock
A.M., on Thursday, January
22, 1976, at public auction, to
the highest bidder for cash,
in front of the Courthouse door
of College Courthouse Goor



The week before Christmas ...and I was tired of my car! Besides being old It had traveled too far!

The body was rusty... The engine went "klunk!" In everyday words It was just so much junk!

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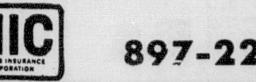
cause Cook's set up An easy pay Plan! My payments are low .. I'm a fortunate man!

No more problems for me I'm no longer weary! Come Christmas you'll see me In my Snappy new CHEVY!



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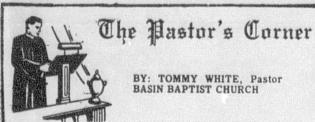


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Church Well Student Recognition Fall Quarter Dean's List At ESJC Lists 169 Students Observed Students Quarter hours) and many conditions of the students quarter hours and many conditions of the students quarter hours and many conditions of the students of the students quarter hours and many conditions of the students of the students



BY: TOMMY WHITE, Pastor BASIN BAPTIST CHURCH

HIS NAME SHALL BE CALLED doing everything he can to vice will be observed at the THE EVERLASTING FATHER Christian's source of Hope. tells us that God is found in Christ. In the book of I Corinthians 5:19, it says, the glory of this mystery am- lit ciling the world to himself."

There are some things a

from harm. The Bible says that God is a Shield, always protecting his children. The

THE CHRISTMASES PAST Whenever I taste a cana source of hope. The father has the responsibility of



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give the family Hope. The Elba Methodist Church on Bible says that God is the Christmas Eve at 7:00 p.m. prise State Junior College are Assistance Grant.

At the beginning of the eligible for grants under the Application In Colossians 1:27, it says program, a hymn will be sung, "To whom God would make and then the Christ candle on Program according to Harvey office. Each applicant must known what is the riches of the Advent Wreath will be Watt, financial aid officer.

God, through Christ, would They may leave or stay and 1976. If you will repent, and turn pastor until 8:00 p.m.

K. Maynard Head

ception I relive almost each clothes cause this to happen? Because these two items were es lanned a Christmas canalways present during Christ- tata or program. Others put up a Christmas tree and pro-

was more selection. There was Joseph, baby Jesus in the a lot of fruit - oranges, apples.

Most of the children, especly something we needed mas carols and songs, and the

Have Christmas will participate in the service. List, a student must be enrolled full time (12 or more On the list a fourth time ESJC Students May Apply For

New Financial Program

Watt said that applications ancial Statement to American After this, the Communion for winter quarter financial College Testing Program or a Christ in you, the hope of ritual will be observed, and assistance must be received Parents' Confidential State those present will be served. before Thursday, January 15, ment or Student Financial St-Those wishing to come bama Student Assistance Students who have applied later will be served by the Grant, the student must: (1) for financial aid at ESJC will Pastor Ed Henne urges in- tes. (2) have resided, or had ACT form but will complete a

domicile, in Alabama for at special card available at the least twelve consecutive months immediately preceding the beginning of the academic year siring more information on the for which application is made, Alabama Student Assistance (3) be enrolled, or accepted for Program should contact Wat enrollment, in an eligible ins- at ESJC, 347-2623.

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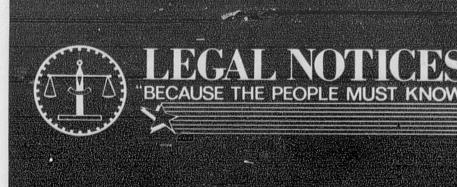
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THE ELBA CLIPPER DECEMBER 18, 1975



STATE OF ALABAMA A PROCLAMATION BY THE GOVERNOR

of Alabama at the Regular Ses sion 1975 ordered an election be held by the qualified electors of the State of Alabama upon a certain proposed a mendement to the Constitution of Alabama, which said amendment is herein set out. George C. Wallace and ordered that the said election be held on the first Tuesday after the expiration of three months from final adjournment of the 1975 Regula

ession of the Legislature of Alabama at which the amendment was proposed: and WHEREAS, the first Tuesday after the expiration of three months from final adournment of the 1975 Regular Session of the Legislature of Alabama will be and occur on WHEREAS, notice of such election, together with the

law upon the following pro-

posed amendment to the Con-

and to sell and issue inter-

est bearing bonds in addition

to all other bonds of the state,

in an aggregate principal a

mount not exceeding \$15,000.

from the sale of said bonds

expenses incurred in the sale

and issuance thereof and for

mental health facilities, in-

cluding security medical faci-

lities for persons requiring

security during treatment. The

be deemed to include the reno-

vation, modernization, remod-

ing facilities and the construc

the construction of a facility

shall be deemed to include

the acquisition of sites and

in the amount of \$2,000,000

derived from the sale of bonds

used solely for the purpose of

paying the expenses incurred

of and for the acquisition, con

struction, equipment and im-

center at Auburn University

and a foundation seed pro-cessing facility at Headland

Alabama. Of the proceeds de-

rived from the sale of said

bonds \$6,000,000 shall be used

for the purpose of paying the

interest incurred in the sale

and issuance of said bonds

and for acquisition, construc-

ion and equipment of capital

equipment therefor. Pr

eling, and equipment of exist-

tion of additions thereto: and

ment and improvement of

ovement of a facility shall

"The State of Alabama is

bama of 1901

quired by law and by the provisions of the act submitting by a proclamation of the Gov ernor to be published in each bama for four successive weeks next preceding the day NOW, THREREFORE, I. George C. Wallace, as Governor of the State of Alabama, do hereby give notice, direct and proclaim that on Tuesday the 13th day of January, 1976 an election will be held at the several polling places within manner and form provided by

after the expiration of three months from final adjournment the Legislature of Alabama will be and occur on January WHEREAS, notice of such election, together with the proosed amendment is required

authorized to become indebted by law and by the provisions amendment to be given by a 000. Of the proceeds derived proclamation of the Governor \$7,000,000 shall be used solely for the purpose of paying the

in the State of Alabama for four successive weeks next prethe State of Alabama, do hereby give notice, direct and proday of January 1976, an election will be held at the several polling places within the State of Alabama in the manner and form provided by law upon

ment to the Constitution of the State of Alabama of 1901: "The State of Alabama is authorized to become indebted for the purpose of providing indebtedness so incurred to sell and issue, in addition to all other bonds of the state, interest bearing general ob-ligation bonds of the state not xceeding \$3,000,000.00 in principal amount. The bonds shall be general obligations of ing power of the state are principal of the bonds and the nterest thereon. The proceeds from the sale of such

as to principal or interest or both with rights of conver-

and evidenced in such manner and may contain provisions for redemption at the option of or dates prior to their maturf State at Capitol in the City ity and upon payment of such redemption price or prices all as shall be provided by the said commission in the resolution or resolutions whereunder the bonds are is-

sued. The principal of each series of bonds shall mature in annual installments in such in amount as shall be specified in the resolution or resolutions of the said commission under which they are is sued, the first of which install nents shall mature not later than two years after the date

of the bonds of such series and the last of which installments shall mature not later than twenty-one years after the date of the bonds of the WHEREAS, the Legislature , same series. When each series of bonds is issued, the maturities of the bonds of that series shall, to such ex tent as may be practicable, be so arranged that during each then succeeding fiscal year of the state the aggregate installments of principal and interest that will mature on all bonds that will be outstanding hereunder, immediatel following the issuance of bonds of that series, will substantially equal; provided that the determination by the said commission that the requirements of this sentence have been complied with shall be conclusive of such com-

pliance and the purchasers of the bonds with respect to which such determination is made and all subsequent holders thereof shall be fully protect shall be sold for less that face value plus accrued interest thereon to the date o delivery, and all of the bonds shall be sold only at public sale or sales, either on sealed bids or at public auction after such advertisement as may be prescribed by the said com mission, to the bidder whose

bid reflects the lowest net interest cost to the state computed to the respective maturvided, that if no bid deemed acceptable by the said commission is received all bids may be rejected.

in the name of the state by the Governor and counter commission and the great seal of the State of Alabama or a pressed, printed or otherwise reproduced thereon and shall of the Secretary of State; provided that facsimile signature or any one or any two (but not all) of said officers may be reproduced on such bonds in lieu of their manually signing the same. Coupons attached to the bonds and representing installments of inter est thereon shall be signed with the facsimile signature of the state treasurer, which facsimile signature is hereby adopted as due and sufficient authentication of said coupons.

bonds are hereby appropriated and shall be used exclusively for the purpose of paying the expenses incurred in the sale and issuance thereof and for the construction, alteration improvement, enlargemen and equipment of exhibition buildings and related facilities, including parking areas including the purchase of sites by a motor sports hall of fame commission, or such other

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, I ave hereunto set my hand and have caused the Great Seal of the State of Alabama of State at the Capitol in the City of Montgomery on this GEORGE C. WALLACE

Secretary of State

STATE OF ALABAMA BY THE GOVERNOR

f Alabama at the Regular Session 1975 ordered an elect- that the requirements of this ion to be held by the qualified electors of the State of Ala- with shall be conclusive of bama upon a certain proposed such compliance and the puramendment to the Constitution chasers of the bonds with reof Alabama, which said amend- spect to which such determinment is herein set out, and ation is made and all subseordered that the said election be held on the first Tues- quent holders thereof shall be fully protected thereby. None day after the expiration of of the bonds shall be sold for three months from final ad- less than fact value plus acjournment of the 1975 Regular cured interest thereon to the Session of the Legislature of date of delivery, and all of Alabama at which the amend- the bonds shall be sold only ment was proposed; and at public sale or sales either WHEREAS, the first Tues- on sealed bids or at public day after the expiration of three auction, after such advertisemonths from final adjournment ment as may be prescribed of the 1975 Regular Session of by the said commi

the Legislature of Alabama will the bidder whose bid reflects be and occur on January 13, the lowest net interest cost WHEREAS, notice of such respective maturities of the election, together with the pro- bonds sold; provided, that if posed amendment is required no bid deemed acceptable by by law and by the provisions the said commission is rethe act submitting the ceived all bids may be reamendment to be given by pro- jected. clamation of the Governor to e published in each county in

"The bonds shall be signed the State of Alabama for four in the name of the state by successive weeks next pre- the Governor and countersigneding the day appointed for ed by the chairman of the commission and the Great Seal NOW, THEREFORE, I, of the State of Alabama or a facsimile thereof shall be im-George C. Wallace, as Governor of the State of Alabama, pressed, printed or otherwise reproduced thereon and shall do hereby give notice, direct be attested by the signature the 13th day of January 1976, of the secretary of state; pro-an election will be held at vided that facsimile signatures of any one or any two the several polling places within the State of Alabama in the (but not all) of said officers manner and form provided by may be reproduced on such law upon the following proposed bonds in lieu of their manamendment to the Constitution ually signing the same. Couof the State of Alabama of 1901: pons attached to the bonds "The State of Alabama is and representing installments authorized to become indebted of interest thereon shall be for the purpose of providing signed with the facsimile signand equipping permanent faci-lities in Dale County, Alabama attre of the state treasurer, which facsimile signature is for displaying certain exhibits hereby adopted as due and sufficient authentication of said States Department of the Army, coupons. edness so incurred to sell and the provisions of this amendissue, in addition to all other ment, together with the interest bonds of the state, interest income thereon, shall forever

bearing general obligation be exempt from taxation in this bonds of the state not exceeding (\$2,000,000.00) in princi-"The proceeds from the sale pal amount. The bonds shall be general obligations of the State of Alabama and the full after the payment of all expenses of the sale thereof shall faith and credit and taxing be set apart in a special fund power of the state are hereby pledged to the prompt and faithin the state treasury to be designated the Alabama Aviaful payment of the principal tion Exhibit Commission Fund; thereon. The proceeds from the sale of such bonds are and such proceeds shall be used solely for the purposes, hereinabove enumerated, for hereby appropriated and shall be used exclusively for the to be issued. purpose of paying the expenses incurred in the sale and

which the bonds are authorized "The provisions of this amendment shall be self-executing and no further authorization from the legislature validity of any bonds issued hereunder. However, the Legislature may enact appropriate legislation implementing its provisions. I further direct and pro-

the Constitution of the State by publishing the same once weeks next preceding Tuesday the 13th day of January 1976 in each county in the State of Alabama in a newspaper published in said county. IN WITNESS WHEREOF,

claim that notice of this el-

the sale and terms of the bonds of State at the Capitol in electors of the State of Alabama the City of Montgomery on upon a certain proposed the l7th day of Novem- amendment to the Constitution fees and charges for such ser-Geoge C. Wallace GOVERNOR

WHEREAS, the Legislature bama upon a certain proposed shall be provided by the said of Alabama, which said amendssion in the resolution ment is herein set out, and or resolutions whereunder ordered that the said election the bonds are issued. The prin- be held on the first Tuesday cipal of each series of bonds after the expiration of three shall mature in annual in months from final adjournment

the said commission under which they are issued, the first of which installments months from final adjournment the several polling places withshall mature not later than two years from the date of the bonds of the such series

and the last of which install-

than twenty-one years from

same series. When each ser-

ies of bonds is issued.

bonds of that series shall, to such extent as may be pract-

during each then succeeding

the aggregate installments of

principal and interest that will

be outstanding hereunder, im-

uance of the bonds of that ser-

ies, will be substantially equal;

provided, that the determina-

tion by the said commission

sentence have been complied

to the state computed to the

mediately following the iss-

fiscal year of the state and

ments shall mature not later

election, together with the proposed amendment is required of the act submitting the am- ing present indebtedness. be given to be published Alabama for four successive any county from issuing bonds appointed for the election: NOW, THEREFORE, I George existing or authorized by ex-Wallace, as Governor of the isting laws to be created." State of Alabama, do hereby give notice, direct and proclaim that on Tuesday the 13th upon Tuesday the 13th day of day of January 1976, an elect- January 1976 upon the above ion will be held at the several set forth amendment to the polling places within the State of Alabama in the manner and Alabama of 1901 be given by Mrs. Agnes Baggett form provided by law upon the publishing the same once a following proposed amendment week for four successive weeks to the Constitution of the State next preceding Tuesday the 13th

of Alabama of 1901: "Article 4. Section 106 of in a newspaper published in the Constitution of Alabama said county.

is hereby amended to read as Section 106. No special, private, or local law shall be have caused the Great Seal of the State of Alabama to be passed on any subject not enaffixed by the Secretary of umerated in Section 104 of this Constitution, except in referof Montgomery on this the 17th ence to fixing the time of holding courts, unless notice of the day of November 1975. intention to apply therefor shall Governor cost to the state, in the county or counties where the matter or thing to be affected may be situated, which notice shall state the substance of the pro-ATTEST: posed law and be published at least once a week for four Mrs. Agnes Baggett consecutive weeks in some newspaper published in such

county or counties or if there therein, then by posting the said notice for two consecutive weeks at five different places in the county or counties prior and proof that said notice has been given shall be exhibited to each house in the legislature through a certification by the Clerk of the House of Secreand proof was attached to the subject local legislation and the notice and proof shall be attached to the original copy of the subject bill and shall be filed in the Department of Archives and History where it shall constitute a public record. The courts shall pronounce void every special, private, or local law which the journals do not affirmatively

show was passed in accord-"All bonds issued under ance with the provisions of this section. "This amendment shall be self-executing, and no enabling legislation shall be neces-

> ion upon Tuesday the 13th day of January 1976 upon the above Constutution of the State of Alabama of 1901 be given by publishing the same once a week for four successive weeks next preceding Tuesday the 13th day of January 1976 in each county in the State of Alabama in a newspaper published in IN WITNESS WHEREOF, I

have hereunto set my hand Seal of the State of Alabama to be affixed by the Secretary of State at the Capitol in the City of Montgomery on this the 17th day of November

Mrs. Agnes Baggett

STATE OF ALABAMA WHEREAS, the Legislature

Alabama at the Regular Session 1975 ordered an electof Alabama, which said amendvices, and to provide penalment is herein set out, and or- ties for non-payment and liens dered that the said election upon the property within such be held on the first Tuesday district; authorize the borrowafter the expiration of three ing of money and the issuance of bonds and other obligations ment of the 1975 Regular Ses- by or on behalf of such dission of the Legislature of Ala- trict; provided that Shelby bama at which the amendment was proposed; and County shall not be responsible for any such bond or

WHEREAS, the first Tues- obligation and no such bond or day after the expiration of oligation shall be chargeable three months from final ad-journment of the 1975 Regular of Shelby County. This amendession of the Legislature of ment shall not have been ad-Alabama will be and occur on opted unless a majority of the anuary 13, 1976; and law and by the provisions vor thereof. Any law enacted the act submitting the ment to be given by a legislature to authorize the

day of January 1976 in each

STATE OF ALABAMA

of Alabama, at the Regular

Session 1975 ordered an

district to fix and collect rates,

at the current session of the

without published notice of

ive upon the ratification of

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, I

endment to be given by a pro-clamation of the Governor to be given to be published greater than five percentum of the assessed value of the property therein. Nothing Seal of the State of Alabama in each county in the State of herein contained shall prevent to be affixed by the Secretary weeks next preceding the day or other obligations, to fund City of Montgomery on this or refund any indebtedness now the 17th day of November 1975. Governor I further direct and proclaim

county in the State of Alabama

of Alabama, at the Regular ion to be held by the qualified electors of the State o

of the Legislature of Alabama will be and occur on January WHEREAS, notice of such election, together with the proposed amendment is required the act submitting the amendclamation of the Governor to

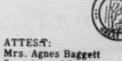
stitution of Alabama which said amendment is herein set out. tion be held on the first Tues-George C day after the expiration of three months from final adjournment do hereby give notice, direct of the Legislature of Alabama at which the amendment was the 13th day of January 1976 an election will be held at WHEREAS, the first Tuesin the State of Alabama in th manner and form provided by months from final adjournment of the 1975 Regular Session of

the Legislature of Alabama will be and occur on January WHEREAS, notice of such election, together with the pro- local laws applicable to or opposed amendment is required erative in Blount County and by law and by the provisions proclamation of the Governor o be published in each county

successive weeks next preceding the day appointed for the NOW, THEREFORE, I. George C. Wallace, as Governor of the State of Alabama, do hereby give notice, direct day the 13th day of January 1976, an election will be'held at the several polling places the manner and form protreasury from which their sal vided by law upon the followthe Constitution of the State

"The Legislature may, by general or local law, provide organization, operation, ad-ministration, and financing of local districts within Shelby County as public corporations to provide any one or more of vices: (a) fighting and preven-tion of fires; (b) furnishing water; (c) the collection, treat ment and disposal, of sewage and/or garbage, trash and solid emergency medical services. including rescue and ambulance service; (e) the guarding and protection of lives and property; (f) any other local service permitted by such general

> ion upon Tuesday the 13th day set forth amendment to the Constitution of the State of publishing the same once a week for four successive the 13th day of January 1976 in each county in the State of Alabama in a newspaper published in said county IN WITNESS WHEREOF. Seal of the State of Alabama



George C. Wallace

Secretary of State

NOTICE

hey received contributions to

ake others happy December

CITY PRIVILEGE LICENSES WILL BE DUE

Delinquent February 1st

Notice That A New License Schedule Became

Hall Will Be Glad To Assist You In Preparing

There Will A Penalty Fee Plus Interest Charged

January 1, 1976

Effective January 1, 1970. Employees At City

Your Application For License.

CITY OF ELBA

Jack Prescott, City Clerk

The Elba Methodist Church State Junior College, Joseph ing the quarter (4.00 is all will observe Student Recogni- Taimade, dean of instructions, A's). tion Day on Sunday, December announced today.

Z8.

Several college students

To qualify for the Dean's has been on the honor roll five times.

On the list a fourth time

A Holy Communion Ser-

Well, this year I'll enjoy

slice or smelling a new shirt

like to be your Everlasting meditate.

vider for his family. The Bible of Hope. says that God is a provider for

His children. Romans 8:32 to Christ through Faith, He will says, "He that spared not His be your everlasting Father, dividuals to come-as-you-are, own Son, but delivered Him up and you will have Everlasting it is not a dress-up service. for us all, how shall he not Life with Him also freely give us all things?"
(2) A father should be a otector or shield for his family, being always ready to shield them

Bible also speaks of God being our shield in Psalms 84:9 - "Behold, O God our - "Behold, O God our

> My father wanted his 6 vided fruit baskets to districhildren to receive some- bute the Sunday or Wednesday thing useful at Christmas - before the big day. what what 's more useful than something to wear and some- Mom put up about a week be-

dies - rock candy, chocolates. nd of course, orange slices in lights were turned on, the

little manger seemed to come ially those who were in school, received a new garment or fireplace. The cracking fire

Mountain Moments

died orange slice or smell tions, and the local merchants new clothes, I think of participated by placing Christ-Christmas. And without ex- mas trees in their windows. At school, we sang Chist-Christmas of my childhood. mas carols, exchanged names, Why does a candied orange and looked forward to two slice and the smell of new weeks school was dismissed. Some neighborhood church-

I haven't mentioned the tree fore Christmas. Dad brought We always had plenty of food in a big Cedar tree which we at Christmas. Not that we were adorned with ornaments we hungry at other times, but at used year after year. A small Christmas season there manger scene with Mary, manger, angels, shepherds grapes and more. Dad always and some animals, occuprovided an assortment of can-pied a prominent place be-

maybe a pair of shoes. The added a warmth to the room clothes were practical, usual- that we enjoyed most of all on Christmas Eve. Around December 1 excite-ment began to grow. With education The toys we found under the tree on Christmas mornpassing day, I felt that Christ- ing always excited us beyond words! And for several years I got a cowboy suit. Salvation Army always had a Christmas again, but I can booth placed downtown where relieve all the Christmases

ZION CHAPEL BAPTIST CHURCH - Larry Coates Church Training . Wed. Worship . Chancel Choir Practice - Wed.

VHITEWATER BAPTIST HURCH - Paul Foxworth forning Worship .. 11:00 a.m. Youth Service Vorship & Children's Service

Ved. Prayer Service, RA's Pastor's Phone Call - Monday

11:00 a.m. - Syble Bagwell

Morning Worship . . 11:00 a.m. Youth Choir Prac. hurch Training . . . 6:00 p.m. Evening Evangelist Service -'s Service 6:00 p.m. 7:00 p.m. Wednesday Ser. 7:00 p.m.

Youth Serv. Sat. . . 7:00 p.m. WOODLAND GROVE BAPTIST CHURCH - Kenneth English 10:00 a.m. ZOAR COMMUNITY CHURCH Youth Choir Prac.

GOD - D. D. Bryan Morning Worship . . 11:00 a.m. Choir Practice . . . 4:30 p.m. Evening Worship . . 6:30 p.m. Prayer Meet. Wed. . 7:00 p.m.

A record 16° students quarter hours), and maintain

were named to the fall quart - a B plus (3.50) or better

. . 11:00 a.m. 2:00 p.m. 7:00 p.m. Wed. Bible Study . . 7:00 p.m.

. . 5:00 p.m. . 5:00 p.m.

Evening Worship . . 6:00 p.m. (1st & 3rd Sundays) Wed. Night Mis. . 6:00 p.m. 5:30 p.m. Choir Rehearsal Each Thurs. . 7:30 p.m.

Wed. Prayer Meet. . . 6:00 p.m

only at a duly advertised pubc sale or sales, upon sealbidder whose bid reflects the lowest total net interest cost to the state for the bonds offered for sale and shall be sold at not less that their terest thereon. Said bonds shall be direct general obligations of the state, and for the prompt and faithful pay-ment of the principal thereof and the interest thereon the full faith and credit of the

improvements, including, without limitation a facility or facilities for the housing, training, education and reabilitation of prisoners. "Said bonds shall be sold

state are hereby irrevocably pledged. The bonds issued under this amendment and the income therefrom shall be ex empt from all taxation in the state. The legislature shall adopt appropriate enabling leg islation to carry out the intent and purpose of this amendment." I further direct and proion upon Tuesday the 13th day of January 1976 upon the above Constitution of the State of the same once a

weeks next preceding Tuesday be payable in such installthe 13th day of January 1976 in each county in the State of ments and at such place of Alabama in a newspaper pub- such rate or rates payable

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, I have hereunto set my hand and have caused the Great the state to be exercisted by Seal of the State of Alabama said commission at such date to be affixed by the Secretary of Montgomery on this the 17th day of November 1975.

ATTEST: Mrs. Agnes Baggett

BY THE GOVERNOR

of Alabama at the Regular Session 1975 ordered an election electors of the State of Alabama upon a certain proposed of Alabama, which said amendment is herein set out, and ordered that the said election be held on the first Tuesday after the expiration of three months from final adjournment of the 1975 Regular Session of the Legislature of Alabama at which the amendment was pro-WHEREAS, the first Tuesday

stitution of the State of Ala-

be published in each county eding the day appointed for NOW THEREFORE, I, George

and equipping permanent fac-ilities in Talladega County, Al-abama for displaying certain the State of Alabama and the full faith and credit and taxhereby pledged to the prompt and faithful payment of the

and ramps, roadways, sewers, curbs, and gutters, but not therefor. Such buildings and facilities shall be constructed state agency as may be created by act of the Legislature. "The Motor Sports Hall of Fame Commission or any instrumentality of the state created and established for the purpose of providing for such control, is hereby vested with the authority to provide for the sale and terms of the bonds and the issuance thereof, subject to the approval of the Governor. The bonds may be sold, executed and delivered time, may be in such forms, denominations, series and and maturities, may bear such date or dates, may be in reg-

bonds are authorized to be issued. amendment shall be self-executing and no further authorization from the legislature shall be prerequisite to the validity of any bonds issued hereunder. However the legislature may enact appropriate legislation implementing its I further direct and proclaim that notice of this election upon Tuesday the 13th day of January 1976 upon the above set forth amendment to the Constitution of the State of Alabama of 1901 be given by publishing the same once a week for four successive weeks next preceding Tuesday

in each county in the State of

"The proceeds from the

sale of bonds hereby author-

cluding the purchase of sites therefor. Such buildings and facilities shall be constructed by an aviation exhibit commission, or such other state agency as may be created by act of the Legislature, and shall above set forth amendment to be operated by or in cooperation with the Department of of Alabama of 1901 be given the Army under such arrangements as may be authorized a week for four successive "The Alabama Aviation Ex-hibit Commission or any inprovisions of this amendment, together with the interest instrumentality of the State crecome thereon, shall forever be exempt from taxation in this state. ated and established for the purpose of providing for such have hereunto set my hand

issuance thereof and for the

construction, alteration, im-

provement, enlargement and

equipment of exhibition build-

ings and related facilities in-

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curbs and gutters but not in-

roadways, sewers,

ized, after the payment of all and the issuance thereof, subexpenses of the sale thereo ject to the approval of the this the 17th day of Novemshall be set apart in a special Governor. The bonds may be ber 1975 fund in the state treasury to sold, executed and delivered be designated the Motor Sports at any time and from time to Hall of Fame Fund; and such proceeds shall be used solely time, may be in such forms. for the purposes, hereinabove numbers, may be of such tenor enumerated, for which the and maturities, may bear such date or dates, may be in registered or bearer form either as to principal or interest or Mrs. Agnes Baggett both with rights of conversion into another form, may be payable in such installments and at such place or places, may bear interest at such rate or rates payable and evidenced BY THE GOVERNOR in such manner, and may con tain provision for redemption at the option of the state to of Alabama at the Regular Sesmission at such date or dates to be held by the qualified prior to their maturity and electors of the State of Alaupon payment of such redemption price or prices, all as amendment to the Constitution

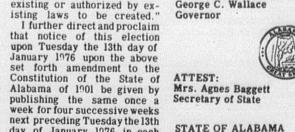
facility, its management or and have caused the Great control, is hereby vested with Seal of the State of Alabama

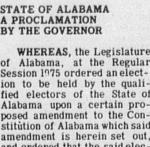
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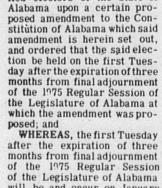
WHEREAS, notice of such election, together with the proposed amendment is required of this amendment vote in faproclamation of the Governor creation of such districts in to be published in each county the State of Alabama for ment this amendment to the four successive weeks next constitution (whether with or preceding the day appointed NOW, THEREFORE, I. stallments in such in amount of the 1975 Regular Session of George C. Wallace as Gov-

as shall be specified in the resolution or resolutions of the said commission under which the amendment was proposed; and resolution or resolutions of the said commission under which the amendment was proposed; and resolution or resolutions of the State of Alabama, do hereby give notice, direct and proclaim that on Tuesday, ion upon Tuesday the 13th day WHEREAS, the first Tuesday the 13th day of January 1976, of January 1976 upon the above after the expiration of three an election will be held at set forth amendment to the of the 1975 Regular Session of the Legislature of Alabama in the manner and form provided by law upon the following proposed amendment to the Connext preceding Tuesday the 13th WHEREAS, notice of such stitution of the State of Ala- day of January 1976 in each "No county shall become in a newspaper published in by law and by the provisions indebted in an amount includ- said county.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF







fied electors of the State of Alabama upon a certain pro-posed amendment to the Con-in the State of Alabama for

> approved by a majority of the the costs and charges of cour lowances, and salaries, including the method and basis of judge, the tax assessor, and the tax collector of Blount County: and may place any or all of such officers on a salcommissions, allowances, and percentages collectible by such

"In the event this amend ectors of said county who vote thereon vote in favor of the when it is submitted, then any places any officer in Bloun County on a salary basis or alterting the costs and charges of court and the fees, commissions, allowances, and salaries of any officer in effective without any other election having been held thereon. In the event this amendment is approved and a ectors of said county who vote thereon vote against its ap

ORIGINAL



OFFICERS

Lisa Sharpless-Presiden Stan Lewis-Vice President Brenda Oglesby-Secretary Donna McCollough-Treasure

Sherry Marler-Reporter

Jana Brown Janet Brown Chris English Julie Holliday

Sherry Marler, Charlotte girls here at EHS. We wish English Literature, T.I. & E.,

Pat Williams

BY THE EHS STUDENT COUNCIL,

REFRESENTATIVES

Har- the Herald Angels Sing O L-ttle Town of Bethlehem

Mack S. King-Advisor MYSTERY STUDENT

Pam Lawrence

David LeCompte Ken Martin

Reesa Walker

But now she is a lot less than In the silent night you can hear her whine for her Silent N-ght The First -oel Santa Claus is Comin- to Town BY: JANIS DONALDSON

Vicky is a very active per-

Vicky says of her school I have pride in my school.

ments - "As for me, I don't

see any improvements that need to be made. I try to ook for the good in it.' Vicky lists her outstandcted President of the VICA

Her pet peeves are stuck-ip people, two-faced people, and people being busy-bodies. Vicky's plans for the future are to graduate at the end o tinue working at Dr. Crook's office till January of '76. Then

she will attend Troy State Uni-

in the Acteen organization and is president of her Training

We hope you have the best of luck at T.S.U.!! Good luck!

Party Enjoyed

The Elba Beta Club held

their Christmas Party Thurs-

day. December 18, during 5th period in the cafeteria. The

meeting was called to order and the roll called and the

The club made \$34.60 at the rummage sale held Dec-ember 6. Mr. Sharpless said

that we have been making about \$15 to \$20 each basketball game

President Bill Brunson said we were doing well financially and the typewriter for Mr.

Sharpless' room has been purchased and the chair will be

purchased later. Refreshments were then

served and enjoyed by every-

by selling popcorn.

the church and meeting new

SENIOR OF THE WEEK

The members of the Junior mas music Music Club were surprised with a visit from Santa Claus Santa Caus made his surprise entrance and distributed Monday, December 15 at their gifts to everyone. The mem-Christmas Party.

Junior Music Club Party

Silent Cry

In the silent night you can hear her whine for her lost,

She, who once was told in a great story, has now been

stripped of all her glory and is now filled with the rage

mankind has loaded; on the Yes, she was once a goddess

way to hide her nakedness.

her loved, herself.

The world does pine.

The world does pine.

ristmas Party. bers had their pictures taken
The event took place in the with Santa Claus which will home of Lisa Turner who was be used in the school yearbook. assisted by hostess Jenny Hudson. The members enjoyed delicious refreshments while they listened to Christ-

prisingly, Mr. Lincoln was not the main speaker at the dedi-cation of the Gettysburg Cem-shortness so badly embarras-sed people that newspaper edi-tors refused to print it, thus BY: BRENDA OGLESBY

Approximately 112 years ago, Lincoln made his memorable speech at Gettysburg. Today almost all Americans know of this moving document; however, at the time of its delivery many people felt it was embarrassing. Sur
cation of the Gettysburg Cemetery; it was Mr. Edward Everett. Even though to the embarrassment which it rendered.

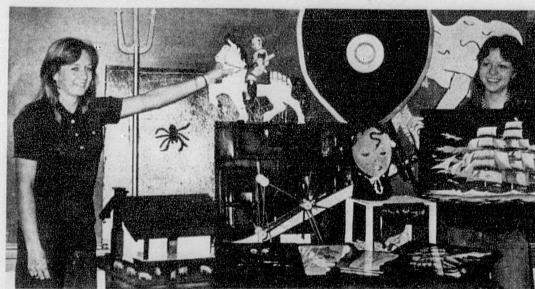
Lincoln only spoke for less than three minutes. The shortness of Lincoln's speech led many people at this time to believe that the President Agriculture and record our time and record our history.



INDIVIDUALISM - sums up the theme for this year's projects. mythology class projects. Replicas of things and people relating to mythology were the

SPOTLIGHT BY: BRENDA OGLESBY

structures are (1-r) Kennett



Melissa McColloguh (left) and Louise Bush (right) show students of Mrs. King's class. These outstanding projects are

showing the positive skills and attitudes of their creators.



Graduating Seniors

Math Students Make Decorations

The 8th grade math students in Miss Castleberry's classes made their contribumaking their own decorative Christmas ornamets and characteristics. Based on the rules, 1st, 2nd and 3rd place winners were decorating a tree for the Junior High School lobby.

Three honorable mentions Christmas were given. Rules for Judging

1. Originality 1st - Susan Brueckn 2. Neatness 2nd - Ronnie Kelley 3. Pertaining to Christ- 3rd - Vaughn Lee 1st - Susan Brueckner 2nd - Ronnie Kelley HONORABLE MENTION 4. Geometric in Nature Susan Brueckner

The ornaments were jud-ged Monday, December 15, by Bobby Newton



Guess

orary Lit
Favorite Teacher - Mrs. Butts
Favorite Food - Hot dogs
Favorite Pastime - T.V.

French Club Christmas

Project For their annual Christmas project, the Elba High French Club prepared a box for a needy All members participated

things such as food, clothing

and games was collected.



Cutest Couple

Everyone's cooperation made our project a success. Billie Simmons

MYSTERY

TEACHER

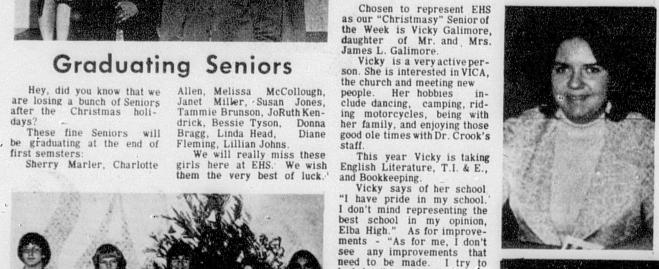
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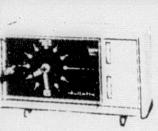
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KRIS KRINGLE WREATHS

on the right shoulder of the He was assisted by the Opp

Tasty Christmas Welcome

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mas time? This custom dates back to the early Christians who placed wreaths in their windows to show that the Christ Child

road. Later measurements by Police Department.

Yield: about 1 dozen Kris Kringle Wreaths BECAUSE THE PEOPLE MUST. HORATE LEGAL NOTICES

Notice is hereby given that munity Development Program. public hearing shall be held by the City of Elba, Alabama, desiring to be heard will have p.m. at City Hall. The purpose of the hearing s/Sam Sawyer is to obtain views and discuss needs of the City to be ac-City of Elba, Alabama 12-25-1tc

until firm before serving

One Killed In Early Morning Wreck

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Byrd told THE ELBA CLIP-

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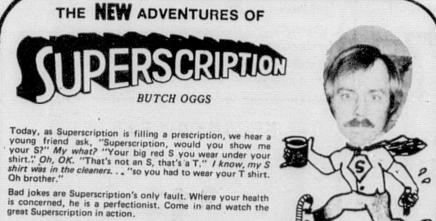
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Later in the day Friday, the efforts of several wreckers separated the truck and the front part of the car. The engine was in Mobile with about 20 tons J.W. ROQUEMORE, Mgr.

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rations were in the traditional Yule vein. Seasonal re-After the delicious meal, members of the program com-mittee provided entertain-ment for all with seasonal letter and word games and a holiday version of tic tac toe. The next regularly scheduled meeting will be in January at the home of Mrs. Pat

and the second

NEW ARRIVAL Mr. and Mrs. Eugene Guelde of Napoleon, Ohio, are the proud parents of a new bab

girl, Lisa Ann, born Nov. 22 1075. Upon arrivial she weigh ed 7 pounds and 9 ounces Lisa Ann is the granddaughter of Mr. and Mrs. George Craft of Elba, and Mrs Johanna Guelde and the late Herman Guelde of Napoleon, Mr. and Mrs. Guelde have ore other child. Gena Lynn,

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paraphernalia. Keith recently suffered a dislocated kneecap acquired in a boxing match. He wore a cast for several days and his injury will require surgery upon his return to the aca-

When the party arrived at he Towles home on Rt. 1 Jack, everyone served him self chips and dip, sand tarts inger sandwiches, toasted pecans and punch amidst tradi tional holiday fanfare and, then sat as audience to Keith's bizarre and captivating recollections of his life at the most prestigious and demanding institution in the world. The cadet will return to West Point on January 5 to resume his rigorous schedule. His next journey to the Wiregrass Area will be in August. Surely his former classmates, his family, and the whole of Coffee County and Alabama

Creech Is Spec. Four

Garry Q. Creech, 22, son of Mrs. Joyce Creech, Kinston, Ala., recently was promoted to Army Specialist Four while serving with the 20th Infantry's 1st Battalion at Ft. Benning, Ga. Spec. Creech, a mortar

gunner in the battalion's Com-pany A, entered the Army in He is a 1071 graduate of Kinston High School. His wife. Rose, lives in Columbus, Ga.

ELBA GENERAL HOSPITAL PATIENTS

Persons admitted to the Elba General Hospital during the period of Dec. 16 through Dec. 22 were the following.

Susan Holderfield, Daisy Head, William C. Goodson, Connie P. Hattaway, Eloise Killingsworth, Maurice Strickland, Mary N. Dvess, Frank Burkett, Dana Smart, Cynthia A. Crawford, Carroll Flowers, Luther H. Hester, Nancy J. Barron; Douglas B. Hudson, Jewell K. Daniels, Grace Culver, Mickey Wambles, James M. Marler, Eddie C. Tyson, Navojar Williams, Phillip Brown, John Siggers, Jr., Lena Griffin, Mary Hutchinson, Lonna Gail Rogers, Teresa Ann Bryan, Shirley Hall, Kermit Crook, Thedore Kirkland, Vida Rushing, Billy G. White, Terry Wayne Hudson, Samuel Rendleman, Vera Bryan.

Persons discharged as of Persons discharged as of this time were:
Louise Clark, James Simmons, Glenda Rhodes, H. C. Crook, Lawrence Phillips, Ronald Haynes, Robert J. Hussey, Linda Gail Patel, Leon Nicholson, Stella Knight (deceased), Johnny K. Blackmon, Alberta Taylor, Betty Donaldson, Viola Dyess, Debra A. Willis, Hazel Gibbs, Susan Holderfield, Connie Pearl Hattdeffield, Connie Pearl Hatt-away, Eloise Killingsworth, Maurice Stricklin, Dana Smart, Cynthia A. Crawford, Carroll Flowers, Luther H. Hester, Douelas B. Hudson, Mickey Wambies, Vera Bryan, vida Rushing, Terry Wayne Hudson, Samuel Rendleman



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plans to attend. It is free. Back in the pioneer days. the fruits of the forest were

soft, astringent green looking grows in a wide range in this country, has never been culfruit used in breads, puddings, in the south. Then there are currants, red mulberries,

cies of wild plums--most of which are not well known. But, some have been domestries, wild raspberries, cherries, strawberries, and wild grapes, then, as now to be found in the forest. In some icated and established in cul-tivation. They were derived areas these fruits are still important--but nationwide, we the southern or Chickasaw tivated sources. But -- we may of "serviceberries" because they were used to make native LAUNDERING TIPS Check garments before wash-

PAGE 10 whites from colors; items that require cool or warm water from those that require hot water to remove heavy soil stains before washing and treat each stain individually. of extra soiled items is ad visable, draining off soaking

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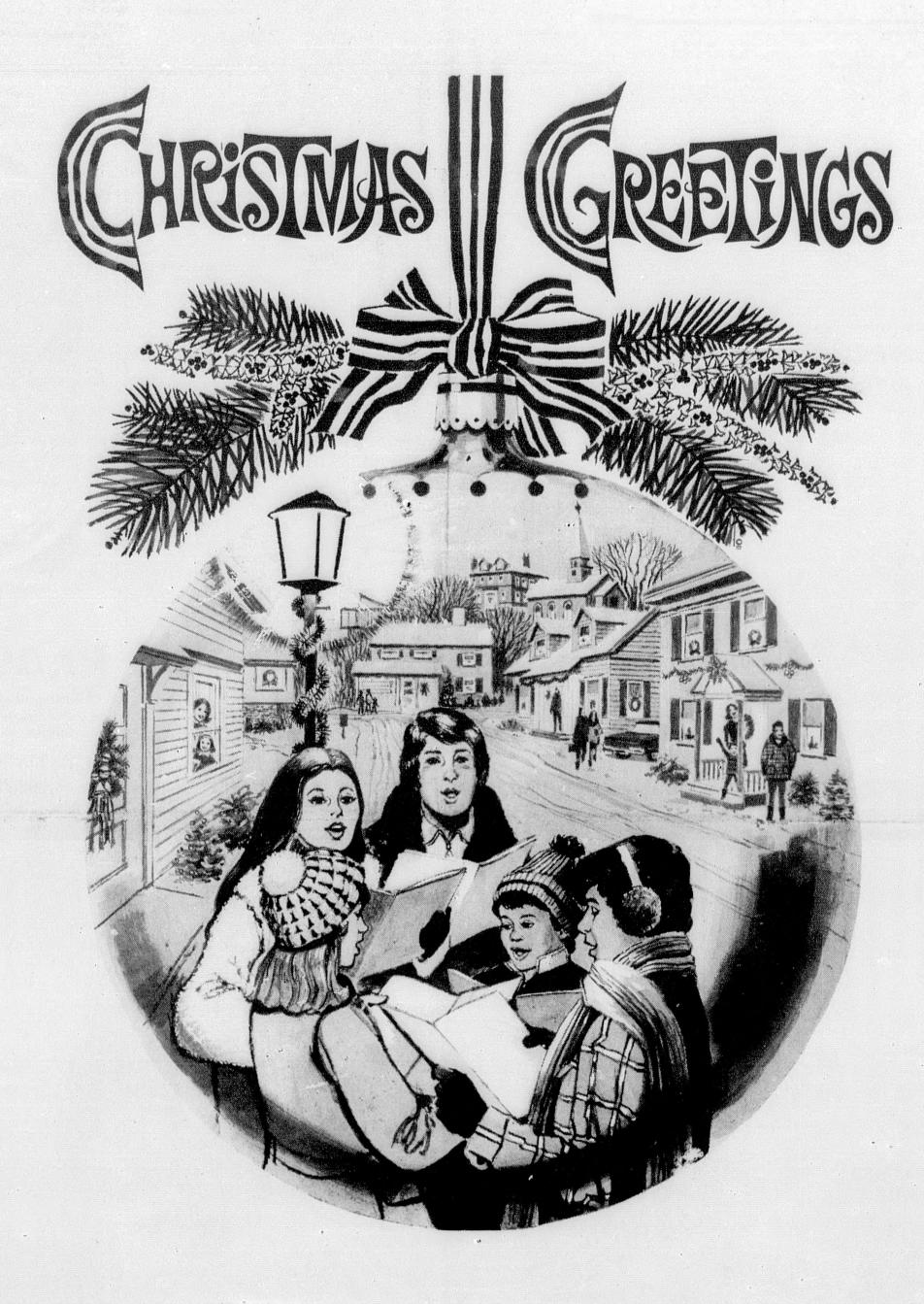
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Love frum Paula Parker Age 7, Second grade.

Dear Santa. Please bring me a bike and a baby alive and a grover puppet. I want a Jewel magic and Snoopy pencil Sharpner. I love you, Santa Love Lorri Age 8, Second grade

Dear Santa, Please bring me a Tape
Recorder, and a Rock Tumbler, and a Portabel Battery

Please bring me a Tape
I love you on TV and I TV, and a Telescope, and a clock radio. love you dearly, Taylor Rushing, Age 7, second grade

I'v been good. Please bring me a Mr. Dressup, Evil Knevil I love you Dearly. Troy King

I want a give-a-show proecter, record player, easyake oven, snoopy pencil sharpener, bike, big wheel, and lots of surprises. Love, Sharon Lisa Moore

Dear Santa. I would like a Free Mov-ing Barbie, boots, and a Barspeed bike, and a Rub-a-Dub Dolly. For my sister, a Doll, a tricycle, and some doll cl-

mother and a lot of surprises. Your friend,

I would like a Baby Alive and a new bike and a Baby thataway, a Barbie Dream Boat, a Mouse Trap game, a payday game. Thats all I want. Love. Cheryl Brinkmeior.

Dear Santa Clause,

cue. I will give you some milk and cookies. Love, John Hudson

David Doauls 28 West 200 Street Chicago, Illinois 60636 Greeting Dear Santa I want
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2. a race track. a pay day game
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in your home at Christmas

New Year! prises.
Ho Ho Ho Merry Christmas
Your friend, Beverly Williams

Christmas. Because I will be geting some presents from Merry Christmas! Your friend, Rosalyn Denise Howe

28 West 200 Street

Dear Santa Clause,

whole lot of toys.

28 West 200 Street

Dear Santa Clause

Arlene Lang

Your friend.

Scott Kellner

Chicago, Illinois 60636

for my baby Alive, and a lot

Dear Santa Clause, I want you to bring mea Six

Million Dollar man, and log mill for my train, plus a coal station, and I would like for

you to bring mea Elvel Kenevl

chopper and a lots of sur-

I want a football and some

hope you will have a good Thanky

Chicago, Illinois 60636

But you did not throw out night. I hope you come. But Love, Jenna we do not have a chimney. My father is Santa Clause. You can mas. I want a camera and a record player and candy and some milk. Your friend, Barbara

Please bring me a jewel Magic and a T.V. I love you

I love you and I saw you on TV and I waved at you and even my mother watched you the first time you came on TV, and on Christmas Eve time, and I love you.

Dear Santa. I'm 7, second grade

Dear Santa Clause,

close and surprises, and I have been a good boy and i will put cake and cookie and milk under From LEROY COLE to bie Dream Boat. I want a five

Dear Santa Claus. I love you and I want a doll and a baby -that a way. I love you very much, Santa I would like a bike and a Clase, and I want a lots of 7-up machine, a pop corn ma-chine and a surprise for my surprises. Mary Theresa Madden

> Dear Santa Clause, I want you to bring me a drum set and a TV majic set and some surprises, and a toss a crost game. Your friend, Willie and the house is blue, white and a black roof.

Dear Santa Clause, I would like a bike and a baby doll and a sew michine for Christmas and that's all I want for Christmas because my mother are going to buy me some more tcy after Christmas and have a happy New Year, and a Merry Christmas. Love, Beverly Williams Ho Ho Ho and Merry Christmas

I want a dog caustum for my dog and a book about snaks.

I want a rifle and a bean bag chair and roof top res-

Dear Santa Claus
I want a minny bike and a lunch box and lot of soprise.

I want a baby alive for

Christmas. I want a bike for Christmas too. Your friend

Dear Santa,
I do not have a chimney,
but I will leave my door open
for you and I will have my
Christmas how waiting

TO SANTA

Dear Santa,

Michele Tyson

Love Santa!

Dear Santa,

Thank you.

truck, football.

Thank you.

Dear Santa.

Thank you.

Daniel Jowers

Richard McKinnon

gun, moving-on truck.

Please bring me GUN.

Please bring me a 6-mil-

Please bring me GUN.

Please bring me doll clo-

See you at Christmas!

Second grade, 7 years old

Love, Chris Cox,

Please bring me clothes,

Please bring me bike,

Please bring me a doll.

Please bring me clothes,

Please bring me truck,

six million dollar man, gun

Christmas bag waiting for you by the Christmas tree and bring a lots of games for me I want a bike and a baby and my brother and have a alive and a baby that- and Merry Christmas a. a happy a teesie and a los of sur-

This is what I want for Christmas. I want a sewing machine thats all I want for Christmas. Because Leville have a glass of milk and some cookies and a candy bar and some candy and please don't wake me up. Arlene Lang Dear Santa Clause

Dear Santa, prises. I will leaf milk and a apple for roodolf. parade in Enterprise festival. Michele Jolly I hope you will have a Merry Christmas on Christmas dress. I love you. This is what I want - I want

come in the door for Christ- Dear Santa, I wish you wood bring me a horse and a time minie mo truck, and bulldozer and a bike. That's all. Your friend, Ric

T want a gun. I want it to be a 410 and I want some Please bring me six million dollar man gun truck. Charlie other surprises and I want a Thank you, Dear Santa.

lion dollar man. football, bike, Please bring me a gun, gun, truck. football, a truck, 6-million dollar man, football shoes. I want a Baby Alive for Thank you, Dear Santa, Jeffery D. Thank you. Dear Santa, Please bring me clothes, love doll, typewriter, bike.

Love Santa!

TO SANTA

Dear Santa.

Sabrina Hooks

clothes.

Dear Santa, Please bring me truck. Football. Thank you, Chris Corley Please bring me a bike.

Thank you.

Please bring me a typewriter, hair blower, doll. Dear Santa, Please bring me a Six Million Dollar Man and a Sea Wolf, and a Record Player. I have been a good boy and hope you will be good to me.

Thank you. Maria Kelley Please bring me some clo-Dear Santa, Please bring me a bike.

Thank you. Tonya

Please bring me the six million dollar man, game, drum, clothes, football, 6-million dollar man, bike, ras-er, moving-on-truck er, moving-on-truck. Thank you, Steve Parker

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which is peace

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Dear Santa

Santa, Football, car set, truck set, clothes. Scott Harrison

Please bring me gun, bike, six - million-dollar-man, truck, football, rell typewriter. Thank you. Tracey Sanders

Please bring me a bike and some clothes and please bring me a football. Thank you.

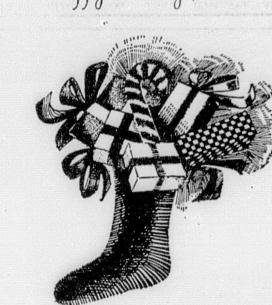
I want a baby doll and a watch and a baton and a blackbord. I hav been a good



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Dear Santa, Please bring me football, Thank you. Dewayne

Dear Santa, I want a six-million-dollar man and Evil Knevil and Batman and go-cart and super Love, Paul Brown

Dear Santa, I am 7 years old. I have record player, and I wish you a happy Christmas. Love, Rene Johnson

I have been a every good girl this year. I help my mother and I help my father and I help my ... I want a sewing machine and a Debbie Daredevil and record player. Love, Melanie Boyd Dear Santa. I have be a very good girl. I want baby alive and a TV

Love, Betty Ann Cole Dear Santa, I want a gocart and two helmets and a six million dollar man and lots of suprises. Love, Scott Kelley

magic tricks, watch.

Dear Santa I'll like a ten speed bike Thank you, Santa. Love, Paul Bryan Dear Santa, Will you please bring me a Tiffany Taxlor, real watch,

real baton. Love, Sonya Farris Dear Santa. I am seven years old. I am in second grade wood you please bring me a barbie rec ord player, playhouse, Debbie Daredevile, Tiffany Tailor,

Dear Santa. I am 8 years old. I wood like you to breg me a Evil Love, Buddy Manring

Dear Santta,
I am 7 years old. I am
good. This is what I wont.
Nurf football, baton, Debbie Daredevil, record player, TV

ond grade. I wont a Evel Knevil, bike and a gun. Love Santa.

I want a go-cart and a six million dollar man and a shotgun and TV magic tricks and Love Derek Channing Young

go-cart in TV magic tricks Love, Patrick Meek. Dear Santa, I am a very good child. I want a baby alive and rec-

I want a watch and a rec-ord player and a Nurf foot-ball and TV magic tricks and a monply game. Love, Billy Baldwin

I have been verry good. I would like for you to get me a go-cart, six-million dollar man, watch, helmet, Evil Kne-vil, car, record player, TV magic tricks. Love, Rob Hickman

I want a TV magic tricks and a record player and records and a go-cart and a gun six-million dollar man and a Evil Knevil. Love, Mike McCollough

I have dun good work. I am a boy. I am vary good. I want a gun an Evil

Dear Santa, I am very good. Dear Santa,
I love you. I want one things
for Christmas and that is a baby alive. Love: Dana Phelps

Dear Santa, I want a mose trap and a pay day baby alive and a record player and a playhouse. and a Bike and a watch. I have being good. Love Santa. Paula Ware

Dear Santa, . big trapaline 4. a ten speed bycycle . tape recorder . electronic calculator 8. t.t. p. stunt cycle . motor cycle 10. a car for my daddy

Thank you. Love, Sherrie

Scott Cole, age 9

Dear Santa,

Please bring me Sunshin family, watch, ring, baby that-away, Walkie Talkie. Love, your friend, Elisa Ann Rowell

bike, watch TV magic tricks. Love, Jennifer Lindsey Thank you. Your friend, Jeffrey Danford

magic tricks, play house, bike. Love, Karen Morrow Dear Satna, I am a boy in the sec-Dear Santa.

Dear Santa,

I want a JAWS 3 feet in a

ord player and blesh you baby ted love. Dear Santa. I love you Sandta, Love, Wendy Manning model cars and some sur-

Your friend.

ball suit Your friend,

Charles Cole

year and I would like a Jewel Magic Machine and a Magic I want a baby doll, and a watch. I have be a good girl.

Tim Caldwell Dear Santa Claus

drink.



evil knievel stunt cycle . six million dollar man 11. a million dollars for my

Please bring me a Auburn bean bag chair, radio and a

I would like a pear o boots, skats size 1 and a camera, toss across, Daer Deviel Debbie set, and a football, whache, jewel magic. Thank you,

Love, Lori

I would like for you to Please bring me a Dare Devil shoes and a Football shirt

I would like an Evel Kneivel welder and a Hugo. Your friend,

I want some foot ball shoes and a Evil Kneviel Your friend. Chris Moore

I would like some fruit, jewel magic, and a ring with a pink diamond and a magic set. Thank you. Your friend. Jennifer Hudson

Love, Marty Strickland SANTA

I would like an Evil Knevil Coper, a Pelet gun and Pelets, Siker Bopers and many sur-Love, Samuel Morgan Boyd Please bring me a Pogo Stick, Cassette tape player,

I would like a cop's car,

Love, Wayne Nolen I want easy bakeing oven and a mirrow and barbie Kamper and Play sewing machine

Annie Grace I want a red bike and foot-

Please bring spin welder, big wheels, back set, Evel Kneivel Walkie, talkie. sack, I have been pretty good this

Love, Dawn Sondergaard Please bring me a Evil Knevil, scramble van, and a football.

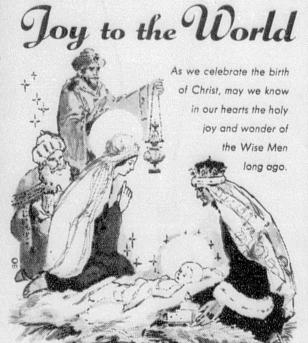
> I want for Christmas is a real record player and a lots of real record, and a staper machines and 9 boxes of standard stapers. Love, Sheila Allen P. S. I want a big piece of candy. My parents are Mr. and Mrs. Glen Allen I will leave you a apple and a

I have bin a good little girl and I want you to bing me some barbies and some baby alive and a play house and a bike an a watch an some TV magic tricks an a baton. Love, Susan Sutley.





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a pleasure knowing and serving you

I don't care what you bring me, I will appreciate it. But think of all the other people who need things. Don Senn

I want you to bring me good friends and neighbors and my family to be healthy and well and I want you to bring me anything else you can think of that might help me during Michael Mobley

me some good things I need.

maybe I need more love than

When I was a little boy my

mother would go into the play

store. You would be there and

pick me up and put m on your

knee You was in a big red

chair. And one day you got

your little black book out and

put my name on it. I have

I her it's almost Christ-

upposed to put up their

Christmas tree. And wait till Christmas night and get a lot

presents. And in the morn-

g they could open them.

ve you because you give me

happy feeling inside me.

I wish I could buy every-

I hope you are all fattened

skinny Santa Claus? I will

be glad when Christmas

comes. I can hardly wait.

hope you have all the toys

I want you to bring me a

healthy family and help me to

have a sharp mind. I hope you

All that I want is to make

The only thing I want is to

be nice to people. The most

thing I want is to lead a suc-

let them see faith in me

will send me and all my fr

Love. Kevin Flowers

Who ever heard of a

body a perfect present.

Donna Rugg

made. Kim Smith.

Dear Santa.

Donna Foxworth

Dear Santa Claus.

Jimmy Vance

Dear Santa Claus,

Dear Santa Claus,

mas time and everybody was

Dewayne Chancellor

Dear Santa Claus,

to go now. Jeff White

py and try my best in every-I hope you will bring me happiness to my family. But most of all I hope you will bring love and respect to every family in the world. Love, Dwan Pope

This year I hope I on be successful at everything I do. Dear Santa Claus, And I hope I can get along Way down at the bottom of your list I think you might have something for me. Maybe somewhere on your list you might have a better persona lity to get along with people better, or you might even have me a sharper brain to think with. Anything you bring me would be fine and I would appreciate it. Yours truly, Lauri Doster



Christmas cheer

Happy holidays friends, neighbors! Thanks for allowing us to serve you often.

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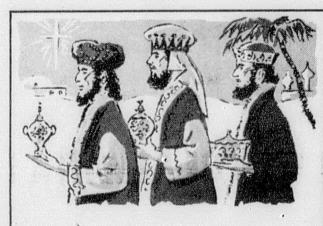
ON THE SQUARE



cessful and happy life. There is just one more thing I want is to be smart in school.

I want all my friends to get what they want out of life. When I get older I want a scholarship for pro football. And all the people in Africa who needs food, I want them to get it. Of course I want my brother to become a truck dri ver like he wants. I want my sister to get whatever sh wants. I want my mother and father to get things too. Kenneth Sanders

Dear Santa Clause, I have only a few things I want. I want to finish sch ool and get me a job that can handle. I also want to go to college to be a teacher Someday I hope young people can have a good chance at finishing school like I have. Love, Marilyn McClain



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Bring me a new brain so Dear Santa Claus, I can be a success in everybring me a big mirror so I can see my faults before I

Love, Rhonda Baker use more. Donnie Davis

Dear Santa Clause, If you can will you bring some tape so that I can put too much. If you will bring spect and I would like to get along with people. Love, Carla Rothwell

Dear Santa, I wish you would bring me a smile and a nice day. Jody Carnley Dear Santa, I want the world to be nice and beautiful. To the

government I want them to be

better than before

Mary Jean Baggett Dear Santa, I hope you can dig down deep into your bag and find me some money for my Daddy, Mother, my oldest brother, his wife, and his son, my nextto-the-oldest brother, my sister, my Grandmother and Grand Daddy so I can buy them gifts. Elbert Maddox

Dear Santa Claus, If you run across a new friend or two please drop one off at my house because it doesn't hurt to have more. If you could spare a box of love for everyone, please do.

I hope that somewhere in my future I can find me a nice most is just to get along with others. Gena Johnson

Dear Santa, Please bring the poor people a school house to learn how to write and read. Bill Baggett Dear Santa,

Please give the needy peo-

ple the things they need and

peace, love, joy, and happiness

o every family on earth. Lori Mehaffey Dear Santa, If you could find it on your list to bring me any-thing, please bring food for all the people who are starv-

Brenda Jackson Dear Santa, If you can find room in the corner of your sack, will you please bring peace and love to the families that don't have Brenda Davis

Dear Santa, If you can find this at the bottom of your list, would you bring me some more love so you please bring me a better personality so I can work with others better? One more thing; would you make everyone happy and give the people who are hungry some food to Barbara Sue Stinson

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I hope you can find something that you think I could thinking cap to help me make better grades. I cannot think of anything that I could really

Dear Santa Claus,

The only thing I want is a
lot of good friend, to be nice, to be smart, and anything tha you can think of that I might need. Tim Brown

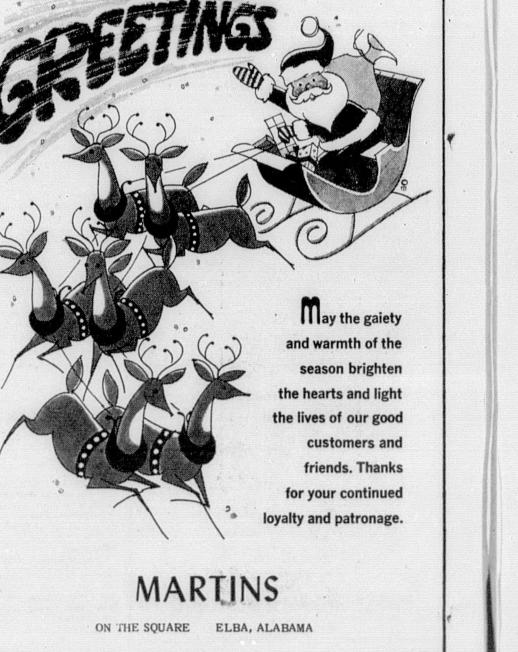


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have a good time in every-

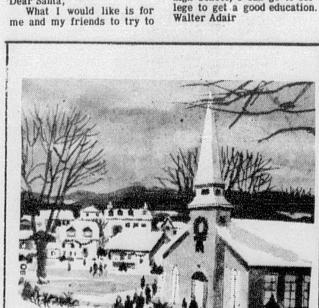
Dear Santa Claus, I hope you will bring me a way to get back and forth to

high school, I can go to col-

thing we do.

I know I may not be worthy, but please search very hard on Terry Archie your list for me some happi-Cindy Baker

What I would like is for



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Christmas

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I would like a bike, walkie talkie, camera and toss-ac-Your friend. Ricky Messick Dear Santa.

Your friend, Todd Sanders Dear Santa Claus,

n school. Please bring me a

ar man, and Evil Knieval.

I help my mother, and I'm a good boy. Please bring me a box of B'B's, a set of walkie

Dear Santa,

I help my mother and Daddy at home. I play with my sister. I want a ring, a towel. Thank you, Beverly Boutwell

a record player, a doll, and some surprises. Thank you, **Tammy Coates**

Thank you, Debra DeBice

some cards, and that's all. Thank you, Ginger Green

If you have time to stop at my house I would be surely deers? I hope you are fine. glad if you would bring me a I have not ben to good this tape recorder to tape myself in school so I can remember year so I will onley ask for a few things. I want a TV magic

Vanessa Kelley Christmas Dear Santa, Please bring me some good words to say in front of people. And bring Bill something good Connie Whitehead

Please bring me a sack of

Dear Santa, I wish for a big box of switches to whip myself with when I do naughty things and send me a big box full of love and I want you to wrap me up a big box full of good Tony Price

Christmas is for everybody is a very special time. It is Jesus' Birthday. I wish could surprise everyone Please help me. Beverly Ellison

I would like a football, and walkie talkie, and a model airplan and a tent. Please bring me these thans. I love you, Sante

I want a Baby-That-A- way a Baby Alive, something to make pots with, some thing that makes Kool-Aid, a pop corn maker, an iron, and a sewing machine. I love you Santa, and Mrs. Santa, too.

I would like a Bike, Evel Knevel, toss across, big wheel, flash light an surpris-

Thank you, Chris Sanders

Dear Santa, I want a Six-million dol-

talkies. That's all. Thank you. Keith Tidwell

go-cart. I love you. Mark Howard Dear Santa Claus,

Dear Santa Claus,
I help Mommy and Daddy
at home. I help Sherry make
up the beds. Please bring me

How are you and your rain-

set, neckles and braclet. Eat lots of food so we wont have what to do for homework. a skinny Santa Clause. Merry Your friend, Lynn Bragg P.S. I will leave you some milk and cookies and some thing for the raindeers.

Dear Santa. Love and put some sweetness in one corner of the sack. Donnie Hussey

Dear Santa,

What I really want for in the world to be happy, wish I could buy everyone a gift and make everybody happy. I really want it to be a happy Christmas. Because it

Dear Santa, I would like a Babby alive and some tea Sets and a stove play house and a telephone and a comera, taype player and a lot of surprises. Your Friend, Belinda

Dear Santa,

I've helped Mother put up our Christmas tree. I want a a tractor, a truck and a diesel

I help my mother wash and dry dishes, and I work hard bicycle, a cot, a dump truck, and an electric train. Thank you, Jeffery Vance

help my mother and Daddy. I want some roller skates, too. Randy Wambles Dear Santa Claus,

I want a mini-bike and a

stove, an ice-bird, and a beach

Dear Santa,

I want a Barbie QuickCurl Doll Baby Tender-Love,
and a Barbie Beach Doll. I've
been real good to my mother
and dadd

Dear Santa Claus, I want a Winnie-the-Pooh,

How is Rudolph? What have you been doing? I help my mother at home. Please bring me an organ, a sewing machine, and a record player. Denise Hussey

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our good friends.

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Dear Santa Claus, I want an organ and lots of surprises. I've been good this year Brenda Mobley

> Dear Santa, I want a Barbie Doll, a Baby doll, and some surprises. I've been helping mother clean up. Please bring Thank you. Tammy Duncan

Thank you.

I want a Baby Alive, a bi-

cycle, a Baby That-A-Way, a

table and that's all.

Dear Santa Claus I want a push-button telerefrigerator, a sink, and that's Dee Dee Gatlin

Dear Santa. I want a bike, a target shoot, an Evil Knievel and some surprises. Thank you. Jaycee Hussey

Dear Santa Claus, erator, a table and chairs and some surprises. Thank you, Lisa Harrelson

Dear Santa Claus, Please bring me a Popset, a BB Gun, a pelet rifle and a brand new bike. Michael Flowers

Dear Santa, I wish you bring me a race car set and bring me some close and bring me a basketball and I will leav you some cookes and a glass of milk. I have ben a good boy and my littel brother has to CHRIS CARNLEY

I'm working hard in sch-ool, and I've been a good girl. I want a pair of shoes, some clothes, a play Ice-Cream Maker, a refrigerator and stove, some crayons and some surprises. hank you,

Dear Santa Claus, I want a tape-recorder Baby Alive, a Baby That Away, a Barbie House, and a new bicycle. I want a play ironing board, and a real sewing machine. I'll leave you some food under our Christ-Love, Connie Flowers Dear Santa Claus,

year. I love you, Santa. Please bring me a Baby That-Away, prises. Thank you, Teresa Gibbons Dear Santa.

I've been a good girl this

Please bring me a Dare Deddie, jump cycle and that all I want. Thanks. Your love, girl, SANTA,

How is everyone in toy-land? I'm fine. I would like a pair of Soker Bopers, cleats, and an Evel Knevil stunt ciycle Love, Bryan K. Thomas

Dear Santa. Please bring me a Baby alive, ring, wach, jewelry sunshine family. Love, Your friend, Debbie Dodson

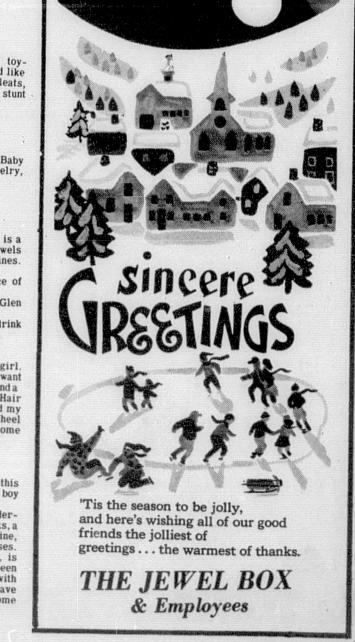
Dear Santa Claus I want for Christmas is a game is called sea and vowels game, and a sewing machines. Love, Jeanice Allen P. S. I want a big piece of My parents are Mr. Mrs. Glen I will leave apple and a drink

I have been a good girl. Tana, my sister, has to. I want a guitar and a baby alve and a Big Bird Watch and a Hair Blower and a pantsuit and my sister Tana wants a Big Wheel and a Baby Alive and some By: Sonya Armstrong Dear Santa,

I am three years old this year. I have been a good boy most of the time. Please bring me a spiderman, a batman, some books, a
watch. a bubble gum machine,
lots of candy and surprises.
My little brother, Joe, is one year old and he has been pretty good, too. He plays with my toys, so please if you have any toys left, bring him some of his own to play with. We love you,









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Renee Nestrom Dear Santa Claus, I want a B B gun, Evil new handle bars and seat for my bicycle, and an electric Douglas Stephens

ELBA PAINT & BODY SHOP

Please bring me a barbie kichen, Tape Recorder, Snoopy Pencil Shapner, Beauty center, Jewel magic, Raggedy Ann and Andy, Easy Bake Oven, Magic Hat, Love, Sherry Marie White That's all for now.

Here's hoping that all of you

I want a Dragster 1. Love, Stanley Jones Age 7, Second Grade Dear Santa. I have ben a good boy and I love you and I want a Evil Knevil and Electric Train and a record plaer and Roudoph the red noels raindeer record and Mr. Jaws and lots

a real Baton.

Second Grad

I love you Santa very much.

Shellye Amison

I want a Walkie Talkie, Nurf football, big Jim, tractor-trailer, Super Hero, Age 7, Second Grade

Please bring me a Walkie talke, Evil Knevil, G.I. Joe, Race Track, flase-in-bright, Grover puppet. ove, Timmy Ray Catrett Grade 2, Age 7

Please bring me a Barbie chen, Tape Recorder, noopy Pencil Shapner, Beauty Center, Jewel Magic, Raggedy Ann and Andy, Easy Bake Oven, Magic Hat, ove. Sherry Marie White love you Dearly Santa ge 7 second grade

a Arrows and a Radio and a flashing Brite and the six Million Doller man and a Models and a tope recorder I love you

I want a G.I. Joe and a Walkie Talkie, and a Magic hat

I want a clock Radio and Jewel Magic and Snoopy Pen-Please rock tumbler I'm Little Miss Elba

Love, Vince Lawford

Set in your seat.
It is fixing to rain.

Can I ride a boat

. I like fresh meat.

Get me my coat.

0. I see a goat.

. I am happy.

. It is November

Please bring me a Organ, Magic Hat Grover puppet, T.V. Big record about Smokey, the Center, Cinderella watch. Love, Sherry Waldon working very hard. I'll set you Age 7, second grade

B. Will you wait for me? love you Santa

I love you From Art

Please bring me a Treaswant to bring me Love, JIMBO BRYAN

black boots, and a rub-a-dub-Love, Lesley Ham

bring me a pool table with hockey on the other side, and pottery craft, and a steer-n-

Race Track, Evil Knevil The 6 Million Dollar man, Crashers, Tape Recorder, Magic Hat and a watch. I am

Please bring me a Rock Tumbler, a Walkie talkie, a Magic Hat, a Football suit I LOVE YOU SANTA! LOVE, Marty Harrelson

Age 7 Second Grad

Dear Santa. I want a Snoopy dressup, Organ, Jewel Magic, Easy Bake Oven, Snoopy Pencil Sh-arpner, Bugs Bunny Clock, Pooh Honey tree, Baby that away, North Pole soap Santa I love you Santa Love, RENAE OWENS

Please bring me a six Million Dollar man, and a Walkie talkie, and a GI. Joe, and a Radio Clock, and a Evil Knevil, and a tape recorder, and a Snoopy Pen-

I want a Dragster formule

Please bring me a barbie

Dear Santa. I am in the second grade and am 7 years old. Please

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Have plenty of Coca-Cola on hand when friends drop in unexpectedly



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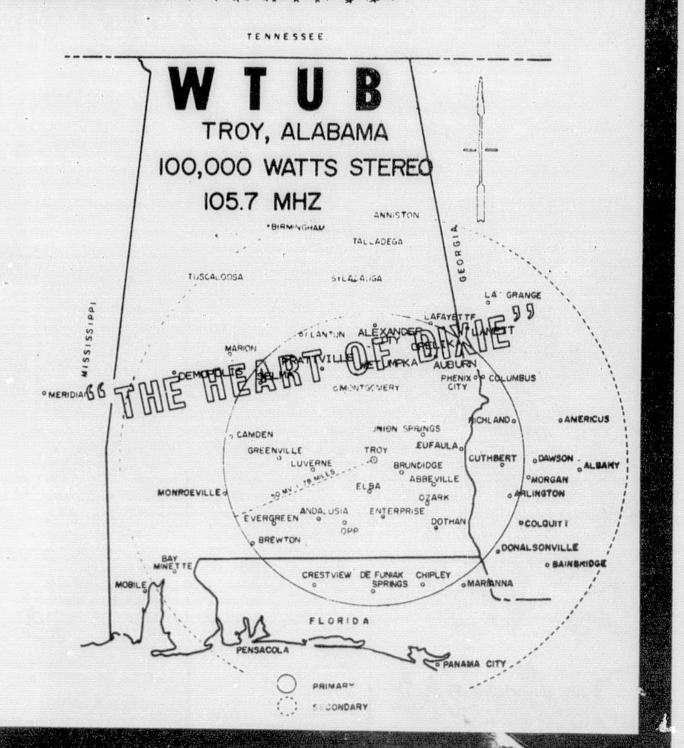
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DEAR SANTA

want you to bring me a Baby That-away, a typewriter, a record player and some rec-

I've been riding my bike. I I help mother wash the dishes. I want a Winnie-the-Pooh,

Dear Santa Claus Please bring me a Baby Alive, a Barbie Doll and camper. I've been helping my

Dear Santa Claus. I want a Baby That-away,



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Merry Christmas



Fuller Brothers Garage

I help my mother in the house. I help keep my babve sister. Please bring me a

Thank you,

Sandra Simmons Please bring me a Frosty the Snowman, an organ, a Baby Alive, a sewing machine, a

> I've been a good boy this year. Please bring me a G I

to bring me a cowboy suit footbal, and that's all. Thank you, Stevie Bush Dear Santa

Big Wheel for Christmas. Thank you, Tony Cole

ball, and that's all. Thank you, Joseph Jinright Dear Santa,

toys - a dump truck, a bi-Gregory McClain Dear Santa Claus I've been working hard in school. I want a football and

Dear Santa Claus!

ar a good Santa Claus and my littel sestar wants a Mrs Bese Lee and I want her to get a tea set and I want a three sped. Larry Lee Marler

I love you I hope you aer fine. I have been a good boy. I want a train. want a cowboy soot Dear Santa Claus I have bin a gud boy and

Teddy Faulkner

Dear Santa Claus, I wish you cud brig me a bysiccelul and a watch and a paher of cleets. I love you

a stove, and I want a book, for Christmas, and I want a braslete for Christmas. Dear Santa I love you. MEG SANDERS.

Dear Santa Claus, Zion Chapel School is good. I love you Santa Claus. I hive ben varee good will bring me a cowboy suit and a choo-choo trane. I want a bicycle and I love you.

You no me. My littel bruother. wants a Batman set and a Father and Mother and me Loves you.

and milk. I love you. Denise Chancellor Dear Santa Claus,

Dear Santa Claus I would like to have a and clowers for Christmas.

saw and some color crayons I've been good. I want you

I'm doing alright. I want a

Thank you, Brian McLeod

my bruther has to and all of my family has bin gud to.

I love U. Scotty Chancellor

Dear Santa Claus, I want a baby. And I want

This is what I want for Christmas a ring and some

My Name is Glenda Holcomb. Dear Santa Claus.
Zion Chapel School is very
fun and I wish that you will
bring me a dicycle and I love

Dear Santa Claus.

I like you hear is some of the things I want for Christpistol and a western auto truck David Rainey

pre of walkie talkies, and boot

I'm been helping Daddy pull corn. Please bring me the man with five arms, a G.I Joe set, a cowboy set, a foot-

mas and a los uv toys. I have been a good boy.

And I have been a Good Gril. Dear Santa Claus.

skats weth keys on them cow gial sout and a chock bord and ten books and ten paint sets and one more thing and been a Good Gril.

you. Windy Vance

Dear Santa Claus. train and a littel car and that is it. and this is Donnas. she wants a littel doll and a hat and this is wot I want. shoe and a gun. Todd and Donna and

I have bene a very good girl this year and I would lice to have a doll, skaties and boot. I will leve you a pise of kace

I want a fur coat. And I want a view-master. and a doll and a doll bed. And a pand suit. And two pair of walking talking. walkie talkies. From Priscilla McClain

I want a pellet gun and armyset and a truck station.

Greetings of the Christmas Season

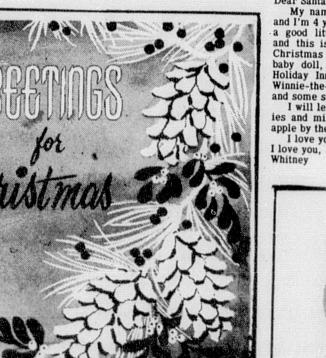
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PHONE 897-2981 Robert Marsh Stan Marsh



Day be merry and light,

and may all your Christmases

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I love you, Santa and I would Dear Santa Claus, like some surprises. I want a organ and a rag doll an a ring pupet and a

lots of surprises.

Tabatha Ann Morris

How is Mss. Sant. I want a bicycle and a stuffed dog.

santa claus candel an a angel candel and one more thing some pitchers for my view I want a go car view master with sound and a gee I joe and a cowboy suot. I'll leve a Dear Santa Claus,
Hope you make it to Christmas this year and hope you

Please bring me a six million dollar man, and a Sargeant Ape, and a football suit, apple for Rudolph and a orange and two cookies for you and a

Wyman McWaters

don't get hungry but in case you do I will leaf you and Redoff a apple for this year sub sarch game. want a nerf football and a I have cookies and mike for you. Sign Jetey Wise, Age 8

Dear Santa Claus, I want a doll and a had truck and a lot of horses. How

I hope you can make it to my house. I want a gocart, and a big tool set. And a catapilla, a buldozer, a crane and a dump truck. And a 410 shot gun. Tell Rodouf an all the raindeer's I said hi. Santa Claus I hope you have a Merry Jason Hussey

I hope you come to my house on Christmas Eve. I would like an Bow an airrow's and an Pellet-gun, trale-bike Verley bird copter.

Dear Santa Claus, I hope you have had plenty of sweets. And how is Rudolph doing I hope he can come this year. And please send me a basketball, some cars and trucks a game and bring my brother something and my sis **Bruce Sanders**

Dear Santa Claus, I want a football and a doll coat, ball, pocketbook and have nice Christmas and Near Year. See you next year, Santa Claus. I will be a good girl.

I want a Evil Conevel four 897-5432 Christmas and some cloths an i the way how is the elf. I will have to go. Wayne Martin

Dear Santa Claus. I won't a 410 shotgun and i won't a racecar and santa. I love you to and tell dasher lancer prancer vickson komet qupit doner blizon and most of all roudof and your elvs. and your helper and how is it up there in north pole. I bet i s cold up there is it santa. would like to be your help-

Dear Santa Claus and a tea set Santa. and I want a suffed dog and two play phones and a rag doll and a lots of games and toyes and when Chistmas comes feel up me a stocken foul of candy is roudof fine? Lisa Ann Baggett

Dear Santa Claus. I want a little cat for Christmas and a pair of shoes and 56 games and View-master and a mis America suit and a gocart and a snow bird and a pair of the cind of candy that you eat and pleas put some candy in my stocking full of candy and some kind of clowers you wair and my mom and dad something to and pleas bring me a lot of surprises and a piar of walkie talkies. MARRY CHRISTMAS. Kellie Sheffield

My name is Whitney Wise and I'm 4 years old. I've been a good little girl this year, and this is what I'd like for Christmas - a paint set, a baby doll, a McDonald's, a Holiday Inn, a Sit'n' Spin, a Winnie-the-Pooh tree house, and some surprises.
I will leave you some cook ies and milk and Rudolph an apple by the fireplace.

I would like a paor of some clothes Dwayne Fleming

I'm 6 years old. I've been a good little boy - Here is what I want for Christmas - Crazy Buggy Stunt Car Set, some cars and trucks, a football suit, Matchbox Super Station, and Matchbox City and Put and a NFL Football, and a Putt Railroad and Putt Putt I will leave you cookies and milk and Rudolph a red apple by the fireplace. Love, Gappa

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My name is Gappa Wise and



the true meaning of Christmas . . Our greetings and thanks to all of you

shines brightly as ever, symbol of

GREETINGS to ALL Here's wishing that

our Christmas holiday

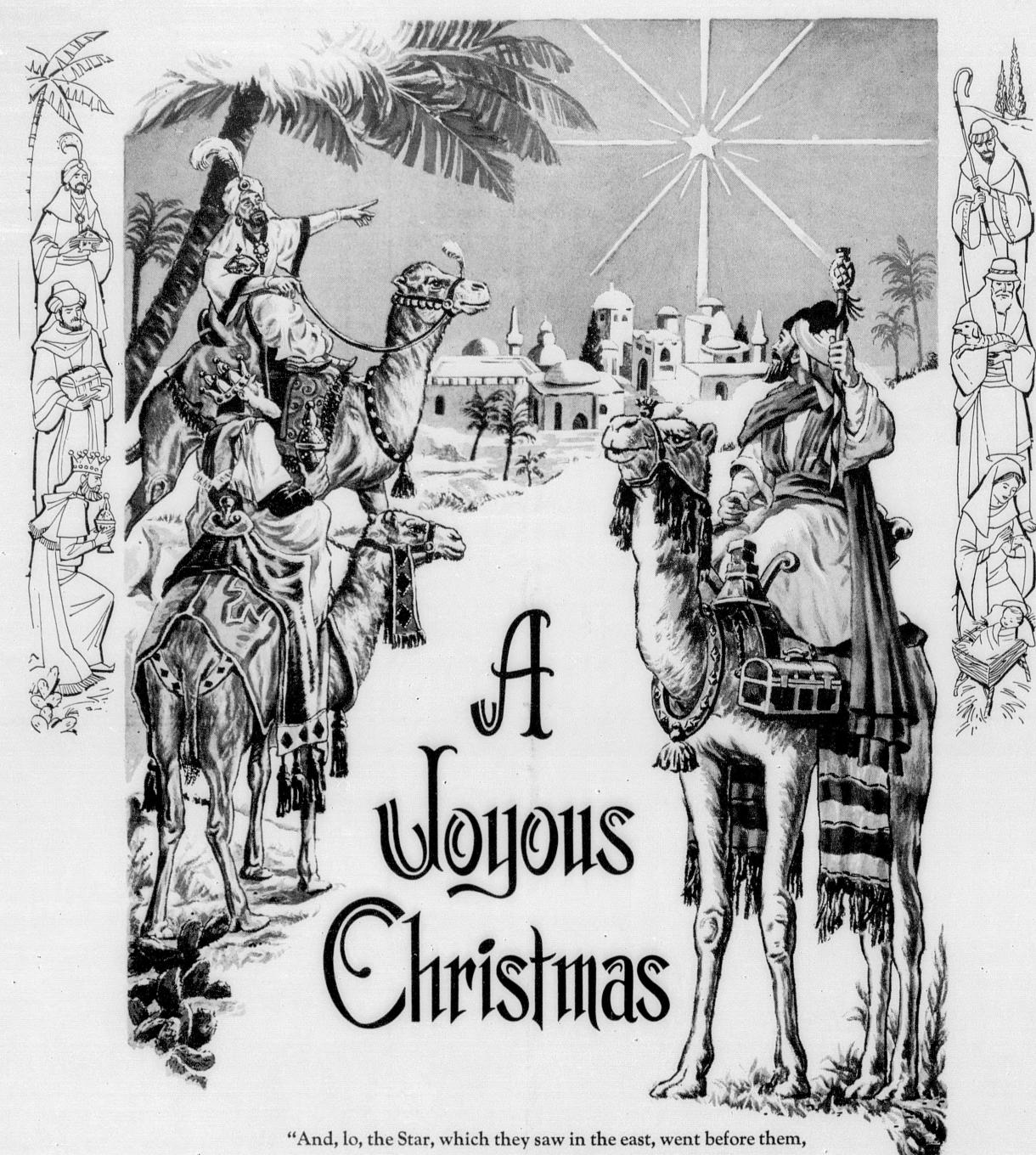
keeps rolling along with lots of merriment for everybody. And to our good customers go our thanks. Auto-Sav **American Oil Station**

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merriment. May your Day be filled with these pleasures.



"And, lo, the Star, which they saw in the east, went before them, till it came and stood over where the young Child was. When they saw the Star, they rejoiced with exceeding great joy." So today, let the peace and joy of Christmas shine throughout our daily lives, bestowing the blessings of the season upon one and all. In the glad tradition of this most beloved holiday, we join in the wonder and rejoicing, and say a heartfelt "Merry Christmas" to our many good friends.

Sincere thanks to our loyal customers for your kind patronage.

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FOY... FEACE

At this Glorious and Holy time, we wish for all mankind the great gifts of peace and joy, faith and love. May our spirits be uplifted, and our hearts filled with happiness and contentment, as we cherish anew the glorious message and meaning of Christmas. For the confidence and loyalty of those whom we are privileged to serve, we wish to express deepest gratitude.

From The Management & Employees Of



Christmas this year

that is too much or not.

Merry Christmas

Love, MARY JOHNSON

Mr. & Mrs. Clarence

I want a mouse trap game

have fun. I don't know if



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Dear Santa Claus, I want a gocart for Christmas and a B-B gun too. Will you come to see us and I will cake under the tree? My mother wants a cookware set I do not know what my father or sister wants. We all love you, Santa Claus. Your friend,

TRAVIS CARR Mr. & Mrs. Walter Carr

I want you to bring some stuff for me and I will make Organ watch table and chairs i. ring i. Some books

lunch box Santa, I will leave you and Roudolph something. VICKIE MARLER Mr. & Mrs. Wendell Marler

Dear Santa Claus, I would like for you to make me a table and chairs for Christmas and a fur coat for me to wear for the winter would like for you to fix me a bicycle and I want it to be a five speed just like from the North pole. I want the Sunshine family. I want a col-This is all I want until next year. Have a happy Christmas and I want more surprises. Your friend,

SHERIE CARDWELL Mr. & Mrs. Nathan Cardwell Dear Santa Claus, Santa Claus, I want a John Deer with a cab on it and a trailer and electric shooting gallery and a Dr. set and a Double Barrel shotgun. Your friend, DAVID CAYLOR

Mr. & Mrs. Guy Caylor

I would like to have an electric shot shooting gal-lery and electric football game and a B.B and pellet gun. hope to see everything. I will leave you some cofe and cake. JIMMY CAYLOR

Mr. & Mrs. Pat Caylor Dear Santa, I would like to have a color TV for Christmas to put in my room. I would also like some boot skates, and a pair of earings and some clothes. I hope that I will get lots of surprises. That's all until next Christmas.

KIM GRANTHAM Mr. & Mrs. Wayne Grantham Dear Santa Claus, I would like a Sorry Game lace and a book of Lifesavers and some model cars. My brother wants a B.B gun, Batman and Robbin Game, gun and hoster and we both want lots of surprises. With Love,

LISA SMITH Mr. & Mrs. Adolph smith P. S. Have a Merry Christmas! Dear Santa Claus, For Christmas I would like

a Honda xl 70 motorcycle and the Evel Knievel motorcycle and track and a 12-gage shotgun and a lots of surprises. I don't want to forget my brother. He wants a gocart and a bike. I'll have you some cookes and milk on the kitchen table. Yours sincerely, LEX AMMONS

Mr. & Mrs. Boddy Ammons Dear Santa Claus, I want an airplane and a bat and ball and a glove. would also like an Evil Knievel Stunt cycle.

My brother wants a shot gun and a rifle and a motor cycle. I want one more thing, a go cart. My mother wants a suitcase and a candy bowl My daddy wants a hunting vest and a boat. Well, I had better hush for now.

BRIAN PARKER Mr. & Mrs. Jimmy Parker P. S. Write back soon.

Dear Santa Claus, How are you doing? I am alright. I want a basketball goal and a basketball and a watch. I think I have been good this year. I really like you Santa

Your friend, RHONDA BAXLEY Mr. & Mrs. Ray Baxley Dear Santa Claus. How are you doing? I know most of my Christmas pre-sents, but I would like a lot more. Here is a list, 3 packs of pellets for my pellet Rifle, four Packs of caps for my new Pistol.

Boxing bag. Electric football game, TV. and Magic cards. Yours truely, ROBERT STEPHENSON Mr. & Mrs. Wayne Stephenson

want a Big Jim with a motor-I have been missing you the whole year and now it is the whole year and now it is I have been a nice boy. Now I am going to tell you what I would like to have.

A walking talkie and a ring.

Mr. & Mrs. Dwain Nolin A walkie-talkie and a ring, football shirt and stuffed an mals. I think I have been good this year.

I really like you. Your friend, BRENDA ANDERSON Dear Santa Claus,

lar Man Set. I want a Batman and Robin set with a Batmobile. I want a toy Sears Disal truck. I would like to have a gas powered airplane and I

Dear Santa Clause, I won't some cars and a rifle. I want Flying Freddy, I want Rockem Sockem Rob-Mr. & Mrs. Huey Anderson ots. I want some Magic cards. ANTHONY MADDOX I want a six million Dol- Mrs. Mary Ellen Maddox I hope it is not freezing

Ureetings! Just a friendly note to say

We wish you the merriest Christmas Day!

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Christmas

is fulfilled for you and your family.

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memorable holiday season goes our

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thanks for your friendship and trust.

REX BRADSHAW

 \mathcal{W}_{e} hope the Christmas

promise of a bright future

want a new football. I also

Love, KENNETH NOLIN, 4th

Dear Santa Claus. I have been a good boy this year. I would like a new bicycle, a new watch, and surprises. The kind of bicycle want is vellow, has front and back duel hand brakes, and a stick shift three speed. And I want the watch to be a nice

Spend Welder Your friend,

RONNIE PILCHER

4th Grade, age 10 Mr. & Mrs. Ray Pilcher

Your friend, GREGORY LEE MOORE where you are. It has been Mr. & Mrs. James Moore

I want a "Testers fast one

Van'' for Christmas and a

I want a train and truck

for Christmas. I am in the

first grade and go to Kinston

School. I am Mrs. Pierces

MICKEAL FARRIS

I would like a calculator and boot skates, black knee high boots, a big chalk board. And I also want some rings, soccaboppos and a ball and watch, and a red, white, and blue beanbag. REGENA GRISWOLD Mr. & Mrs. Royce Griswold

Dear Santa Claus. Christmas time is about two weeks from now. I want a bicycle and a few suits of clothes and a doll bed to put my dolls on. I want a rocking chair and a lot of suprises under the Christmas tree. Love, REGINA SUE BRYANT Mr. & Mrs. Henry Bryant Dear Santa Claus.

I am glad Christmas is almost here. I have been a good boy this year. I want a Tonka Dump Truck and a Tonka Loader and a T-T-P motorcycle and a lot of surprises. Sincerely yours, DALE NOLIN Mr. & Mrs. Douglas Nolin

Dear Santa: I want a train, and a truck for Christmas. I am in the first grade and go to Kinston School. I am in Mrs. Pierces room. Your friend, JOHNNY WATSON Dear Santa:

I want a dart set for Christmas. I am in the first grade and go to Kinston School. I am JAMES MATHEWS I want a doll for Christmas. am in the first grade and go to Kinston School. I am in Mrs

Pierces room. LISA LARMORE I want a pony, ball, a game for Christmas. I am in the first am in Mrs. Pierces room.

Love JENNIFER FREE I want a pony for Christmas. I am in the first grade and go to Kinston. I am in Mrs JEFFREY I love you

Dear Santa: I want a doll, clothes, pony for Christmas. I am in the first grade and go to Kinston School. I am Mrs. Pierces room. Surprises. I love you, REGINA HENDERSON

I want a truck, a game for Christmas. I am in the first grade and go to Kinston School. I am in Mrs. Pierces room. DOHNIE WOOD

I want meadoll, ball, walk-ie for Christmas. I am in the PHONE 897-6618 first grade and go to Kinston School. I am in Mrs. Pierces

I love you, TERESA LEIGH ALDRIDGE Your friend Dear Santa: I want a train, walkie-T for Christmas. I am in the first grade and go to Kinston School. am in Mrs. Pierce room.

I want a doll for Christmas. am in the first grade and go to Kinston School. I am in Mrs. LORETTA BEAOLGS

DONNA FARRIS I want a train, a game or Christmas. I am in the first grade and go to Kinston School am in Mrs. Pierces room

I love you. BRIAN MARTIN

I want a doll for Christmas. I am in the first grade and go o Kinston School. I am in PHONES 347-2291 and 347-2292 Mrs. Pierces room. TAMMY COWTHEN EAST PARK AVE.



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holiday.

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It's our sincere hope that this holiday

time for you, your family and friends.

season will be an especially happy and memorable

for your Christmas celebration.

of Santa's pack, and the

We hope that during this holiday you enjoy many festive hours with loved ones. Merry Christmas all.

I love you. DAVID LASHLE

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lasting peace, joy and blessings.

Dear Santa: I know what I want for Christmas. Do you want me to want a baby-that-away Doll and a suit of clothes and a bedroom suit and a watch and a pair of rollerskates and a bicycle and a basket to go with it and a kim ball machine and Santa Claus I will leave Rudoff apple and I will give you a I love you Mr. and Mrs.

Dear

Santa

Dear Santa:

KINSTON THIRD GRADE

I think I have been good. How

are you. I am fine. I am in the third grade. Well, any way,

want a real baton and puzzle

of Snoopy, a neckless that says

Sheri this way. I want a brace-

a ring with my birthstone in it and a bean bag and lots of

Merry Christmas and a happy

I want a 20 gauge. I been

pretty good, I guess. I make

good grades. I make good on

spelling, math, science. I have

been a good boy this year.

Have a nice ride Santa Claus.

Good by I hope you bring my toys. Well by.

DENNIS FLEMING

Third Grade

8 and a half

surprises and a color tv.

SHERI LINDENMUTH

Say Hello to all the

New Year.

Dear Santa

TERESA GAIL DAVIS Dear Santa Claus: I would like to have a 5

speed bike and a portable sportable and a bear with a radio in it. I want a mirror to go on my bike. One on each wheel and one on the back of my seat and one on my front water guard. DAVID MOORE

I have been sweet. I went to talk to you and I told you ter wants a baby alive and a baby that away. I hope you can bring the things my sister wants. I will leave you some cookies and milk. It is time for me to leave now. SHAN HOWELL

Dear Santa Claus: I want a Bible with pictures and a typewriter and a tramp-

Dear Santa Claus: I want a air plane and a walkie-talkie and a tool s Love JODY KILCREASE

eave you some coffee and cake and cookies for you and Roodophy and may leave Roodolphy some coffee to. If you want me to. I will leave the door open and why don't you write mesometimes and Merry Christmas and it gets cold up Love BEN DEVINE

Dear Santa Claus: I want a go cart and a pair of boots and a lot of surprises. KYLE RHODES



Peace...Joy May the many blessings of Christmas dwell with us . . . always.

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Dear Santa Claus: I can't wait until Christmas is hear. And I can't wait until I get to open the presents you daddy and brothers. I'll have bring for me on Christmas cake and milk for you. I'll night. And here is somethings try to get a red apple for I want. I would like a Barbe Rudolph. O.K.? I been pretty doll called skipper and trampoline and a colored ty and some

a letter about you and all the reindeers. I want a football suit and CHERYL MACK

some binoculars and a big dump truck and a lots more Dear Santa I want a trampolin and a baby. I want a baby that will talk. I love you Santa Claus. I will leave you some milk I want some Barbie dolls and cookies and I will leave and a record player and barbie Rudoff a apple cloths. I have been a good girl. TONY JOYCE

help Mama and Daddy and Granny and Papa and my uncle Dear Santa Claus: and aunts and cousins. And I want some world books and a and been helping mother clean case and some jeans and a up the house and this is what watch and some bluejeans I want for Christmas a BB gun and lots of BBs. Merry Christmas and a BARNEY JOEY MCCRUMMEN Happy New Year. ANGIE LASHLEY

Dear Santa Claus: I have been good. I help a baby that-away and a sit n' Mama and Daddy around the spin and a jewel magic and a house. I want a babby that- lots of surprises. I will leave a-way and some clothes and you some cake and cookies and lots of surprises. How is Mrs. Claus? I like her. Is she al- Dear love from From TERESA GAIL CREECH To Santa Claus

I want a skooter, a tramp-

oline and lots of surprises. I've helped my mother and

TAMMY HUDSON

Dear Santa Claus:

GARY GLASS

Dear Santa Claus:

Dear Santa Claus: I have been good this year. I want a bike and a long haired I'm in the third grade. Kim and trouble and a typewriter and I hope you have a Merry Christmas.

PATTI KENDRICK Dear Santa Claus: Santa, I been very good this surprises. year and so now I will tell Good-bye. I love you. you what I want for Christmas. Love

want a color television and VICKIE O'CONNOR a Sand Blaster bike and a electric football and a electric Dear Santa Claus: hockey game and a electric guitar and a football and eight a bat and a ball. A boots. A record models and a 410 gun and a Bicycle seat. A bean bag. 3 Jewel Magic twelve gauge shot gun and a i love y B-B postol with holster and SHERRY M. a walkie-talkie. Thats all.

STEVE WYROSDICK Dear Santa Claus:

I hope you have a nice trip. I would like to have a good trank and a real with a purse, shoes and some long dresses and Alagocart and a real guitar and bama flag and a lots of surthats what I would like to have. Dear Santa, prises. I will leave you some I want DANNY BEDSOLE I want a football. I do want

a go cart and a bracelet with my name on it. I want a pair SHERRI WIGGINS of walky-talky too. And lots By KENNETH CARNELY Love to you Santa Dear Santa:

I want a baby-that-away and a close-n-play and a piano

Sequence of the control of

and I want new shoes and a olen and lots of surprises and I would ask you to see if you would bring it. And on Dear Santa Claus, TAMMIE ANN ROGERS

Dear Santa Claus: I want a bicycle for Christmas and a play chain saw and a electric guitar and a gun if you will get me it. I will MARK LONRAN

I am in the first grade

I want a truck, train, sur-prises for Christmas. I am in the first grade and go to Kinston School. I am in Mrs Pierces room. MICHAEL MOORE

I want a dart, truck, ball for Christmas. I am in the first grade and go to Kinston School. I am in Mrs. Pierces

RICKIE COSBY couse and a lot of surprises. And I wish you wold send me SANTA LETTERS (ON LINED PAPER) MISC.

TO SANTA, NORTH POLE

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Mother got some earrings.

wish

happiness

this

holy

Season -

ELBA BAIT SHOP

Bait and Tackle

Everything you need to fish with!

good wishes and thanks to our friends.

Daddy got a suit.

I want a new bike and some books about history.

bike and some slippers.

My brother wants a new PHILLIP

I like a mini bike, riffle sand blaster. Dear Santa, I want a saw and lot

Love, DEBRA HARDWICK

Love, RONALD I have been a good girl this year. I have helped my I have been good this year mother and daddy. I would like a watch, and a lots of sur-

Dear Santa, Dear Santa Claus: My name is Amy Bedsole. I have been good this year. I hope yew will remeber me this year. Please bring me a I would like a bicicle and a ball doll, and a J.J. doll. Thank yow for the toys you Love, AMY

MELLISSA Dear Santa Claus. I am 6 years old. I want Dear Santa Claus: you to bring me a baby doll I want a doll and a suit of that walks and crawls, a bike clothes and I want a tea set. and a table and chairs. I My name is JUDY ROBINS. love you. love you. CAROL ANN DUBOSE

I love you Santa Claus. Paint Set, Baby that a way, I want a Barbie and gloves and for the barbie some Fingernail polish, refrigerator, washer and dryer, dishes, clothes. A jewel magic and a Snoopy Record Player, watch.

jewelry box and all kinds of Dear Santa. I want a Bicycle A Baby Alive Barbie and Ken I want a doll and a shirt A townhouse

a few surprises DANA WHITTAKER Dear Santa. I want a doll. Mr. Potato I had tried to be sweet but I had a whipping and this head. Etch-a-Sketch. Puz-

I want a sunshine famcake and milk and cookies ily Van, a Baby Thataway, a and Rudolph an apple and a tic toc watch.
orange and something for the Love, SUZANNE

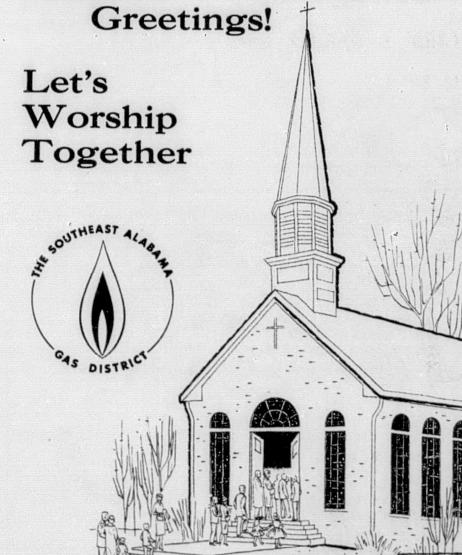
I want a Big wheel Piana, Baby Thataway - Table and How are you? Fine I hope. Love, NANCY I have been good this year. I want you to bring me a 22 Dear Santa, get these things so I thought ANGIE

I want a bike for Christme a fishing rod that will not mas and a doll. break and a tractor and a I love you, disk and some platers. And if you bring all this I will leave some coffee and doughnuts. And tell Rudolph I said hi. By by now. Love

I want a doll for Christmas

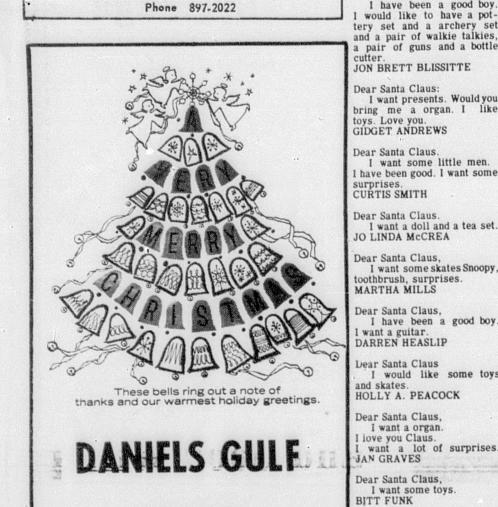
I love you, ANGELA SAWYER CUSTOMIZED CLEANERS FRANK PHILLIPS I want a snoopy. I would like a lot of surprises. PAM MADDOX

Season's



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Dear Santa Claus KERI LYNN BUTT Dear Santa Claus, I want a Snoopy tooth brush and a teaset, surpri-

Dear Santa Claus.

Dear Danta Claus,

presents. SHERRI BASS

I want a electric train

DARRELL GRISWOLD

ANGIE LYNN HOLLIS

this year. I want a pottery

BRIAN SCOTT PEACOCK

Dear Santa Claus,

Dear Santa Claus,

IDGET ANDREWS

ear Santa Claus.

ear Santa Claus,

ARTHA MILLS

want a guitar

ear Santa Claus

I want a organ.

Dear Santa Claus,

I want some skates Snoopy

Dear Santa. Please bring me a Motor bike. I have been good. I I have been good this year.

I want some toys and some Please bring me a TTP TOMMY ADAMS Dear Santa Claus.
I want a drum and a tea-Dear Santa, Please bring me a Minibike. I have been good. I

GORDON, COLE I would want presents. I love you, Santa Claus,
ANGELA DENISE EDWARDS

Please bring me a rubdub-dull. I have been good. I like surprises. Nancy Lawrence I have been a good boy

Please bring me a . . . surprises. I have been good. I have been a good boy, would like to have a pot-

have been good. I like . BILL ROBINSON Please bring me a Baby Bundles. I have been good. I like surprises. I want presents. Would you bring me a organ. I like

Please bring me a Baby That Away. I have been good. I have been good. I want some

Please bring me a kissing I want a doll and a tea set.
O LINDA McCREA doll. I have been good.

Please bring me a Go-cart. I like surprises. I am good. DAVID AMMONS

I have been a good boy Please bring me a Pool table. I have been good. MICHAEL VIDICH Please bring me a Air-plane. I have been good. I

WARREN Please, bring, me, a, Baby, That, Away, I, have, been,

doll. I have been good.

LINDA HAMMONDS Dear Santa. Please bring me a I have been good. I like KEVIN CRAMTON

CHRISTINA CARPENTER Dear Santa, Please bring me a Baby Tender Love. I have been.

JANET OWENS Dear Santa, Please bring me a Ruddud doll. I have been good. I like, LORI CLARK

Dear Santa, Please bring me a 6 million want a Pogo stick. I want a ollar man. I have been good. magic 8 ball. dollar man. I have been good. I like surprises. CHAN BARBAREE

Please bring me a Baby dool! I have been good. Ilike surprises. TRACIE

Please bring mea Rub-dud SHERRY PARKER

> NEW BROCKTON 4th GRADE Dear Santa Claus, How are things up in North Pole? I have wanted to write but I just don't have

When you come, I want you to put all of my presents under the tree. I've been helping my mother around the house. I've been a good girl. I want a ten speed bike, a watch, doll, ring, skates, knit magic, horse, tea sets, and heaps of surprises. I will leave you some milk and cake and I will leave Ru-

I want to tell you what I want for Christmas. I want a doll dolph a red apple. and a game for Christmas. TERESA to Santa LINDA EDWARDS Mrs. Lucille Edwards Dear Santa Claus,

I hope you and all your

I want to tell you what I

want for Christmas. I want

and a gas powered airplane, and I want Big Jim's Pack.

rings and a purse. I also want a lots of suprises. That

CARLA HORNSBY

and a lots of surprises.

Mr. & Mrs. Billy Mills

I would like a camera and

battle ground, tank command,

clothes, sharp shooter, dino-

saur, a game, and some sur-

baby-that-a-way. And rhone

stone setter and lot of sur-

I want some bunk beds, I want a keupie doll. I want a Bugs Bunny pencil holder.

want a Daredevil Debby.

Love BEVERLY McCALL

POINSETTIA

The information below tells you

how to keep me happy, healthy,

Love CANDY

and beautiful.

1. I like direct sunlight—about four hours a day

is sufficient. You can place me near a win-

2. I'm very easy to get along with, but it you have

a cooler spot in your home where I can get

plenty of sunshine, I'd prefer to be kept there. Just make sure I am never in a direct hot or

dow, but please make sure no drafts are

blowing on me. (I catch cold easily)

3. Check my soil every day. Push your finger

down into my soil at least one inch. If you

don't feel moisture, give me a big drink of lukewarm water—enough to get down to the

very bottom of my pot. But please do not let

my pot sit in water, or my roats might get wet

feet and cause me to leave this world rather

4. And just to be safe, keep me off your TV set.

THE FLOWER

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It might give off too much heat when it's or-

Elba, Alabama

PATCH

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Love, MARK MILLS

Your friend. ERIK GRISWOLD

Your friend.

Dear Santa: I would like to have an organ, and some clothes, and lots of surprises. And my and a guitar and a talking tel-Well I have to go now. a race car track, also a watch Your friend,

I would like to have a Rheuonzstone Stud Setter, Ring, Clothes, bike fixed, In-

ply game and lots of surprises.

I would like to have a walkie-

talkie, and a bicycle and a

set and a Snoopy radio and a

moto-cross bike and a bee

KAYE ELDRIDGE

Dear Santa:

I want a bat and a glove. I want a stunt cycle with a man to go with it. Mr. & Mrs. Joseph R. Lee Yours truly, KENNY Here is what I want for Christmas. I want a 5-speed bicycle and a pair of ear-

I would like a T.V. magic

game, and I also would like

is all I want until next year. like some clothers and a bike. I want a crossnekless. Mr. & Mrs. Oree Hornsby Dear Santa Claus, Dear Santa, I want a front-Have you been sick this year. I hop not for Christmas. I wont some skates, jewelry

and a long dress.
MARGARET COX I would like a tent and a canteen an a sleeping bag and a knife an a backepacke. BLUE MORROW

year. I walk the dog, water the plants, cut grass, plow and away and a play eggbeater and a play typewriter and a Mr. & Mrs. Anthony Griswold blue jean suit and like a table set and three new pants suit I want a toy box and a toy can and a toy dog and a toy

I would like a Six Million I would like a bicycle, back-Dollar Man Game, Six Million Dollar Man, Six Million pack and a tent and a trip to Disney World and a scout knife Dollar Man Transport, the of-ficial NFL football, Star Trek and a lot of surprises. Thank Heroes and Enterprise, Star Trek Walkie-Talkies, baton and a stocking full of surprises. Now I have to go. I would like a tape recorder TIFFANY HARPER a phone to go in my room, a

PAGE 4-C and a spinwelder. Thank you



I want a bike and a basket

Mankind be blessed with Peace and good will, and that your own Christmas is especially happy. We appreciate your patronage.

THOMAS DIXIE DANDY

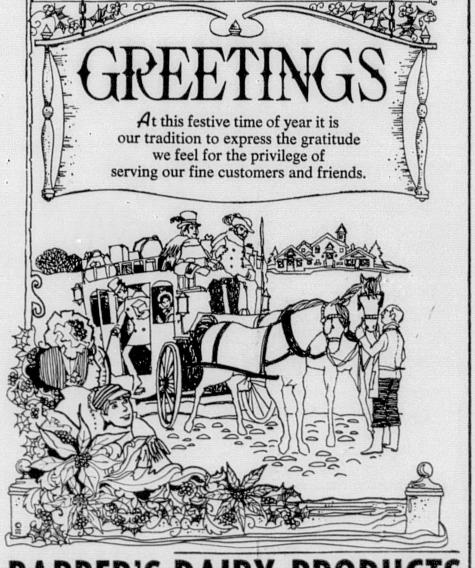
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ever and hope you have

the same. Our thanks

to all of you for

wishes and greetings to our friends

NEW BROCKTON 4th GRADE

I would like one thing. Baby Bundles and the rest mostly me. I have been bad this year a little and here is a list of 1. a new piano

2. a set of books 3. a little bell to hang in my Life game, and a chalkboard.

I want to get my mother and daddy something. I want 4. a music box them to have a big surprise. a typewriter And I want my dog to have some 6. a had with dots dog toys. Love, SHANA HINES 7. a jump rope 8. a ball

my chores but sept on about days. So please don't forget me on Christmas Eve. For Christmas I would like a mini-bike or a three wheel-

Dear Santa Claus, I have been good this year.

For Christmas I want a calculator, a Barbie, barbie clothes, a Monopoly game, a

I want a B-B gun and a

with my B-B gun. I want some new clothes, too. I hope it isn't Don't forget to bring me lots

surprises. For my dog I want and kitten I want a bag of I would like to know why

Love, JANA BURKETT Mr. & Mrs. James Burkett

CLAUDETTE CALDWELL Mr. & Mrs. Cecil Caldwell

you can. I hope you have Mrs. Santa with you and I hope you bring me a lot of surprises. Your friend, GREG KILPATRICK

Dear Santa Claus,

Dear Santa Claus, I am only going to get a bicycle from my family. might get something from my friends and I will get them something, too. I hope you will not turn over your sled be-cause I have some cake and until Christmas is over Have a happy new year Love, DANNY STEPHENSON Mr. & Mrs. Travis Stephenson

I would like a bicycle for Christmas and a Electric fooball Set and a lot of surpri-Love, BOBBY CHARLES HORNSBY, and a Merry Mr. & Mrs. Bobby Hornsby

WESTERLING, Jr. Dear Santa Claus, For Christmas I would like a 20 gage shotgun. Plus a pool

some B-B's for my B B gun, some jean jackets, and a jacket decorator, gas for my mini bike, and money for my mom My birthday is on Christmas, so would you leave me give me one of the things IS WANT FOR Christmas for a want for Christmas for a

TRESEA FOSTER P. S. MERRY CHRISTMAS!

lock radio and a Alabama also want some B-B's to go eezing up there in the North t isn't very cold here in New Say hello to Rudolph and he other reindeers for me. I

of surprises. ok. Your friend, MATT HORNSBY, 4th grade Mr. & Mrs. Arthur Hornsby

Dear Santa Claus, For Christmas I want a bicycle, a pogo stick and a Tiffany Taylor doll and doll clothes. I also want lots of some dog food, and for my cat

you come at night instead of Say hello to Rudolph and

I would like for you to bring me a Baby Alive and a Bless You Baby Tender Love,

Dear Santa, I would like a Star Treak set and a big furry coat and all the star treck dolls. I have not been so good but if you will accept this, I am would like, a color T.V. Yours sincerely,

Merry Christmas from Tracy Can you bring me a gun set, and race cars, and a bicycle, and a cowboy suit if

Mr. & Mrs. Dallas Kilpatrick I hope I see you soon. I want a basketball and a goal. and a ten speed bike. and a B.B gun. and a Rockem Sockem Robot Love, GREGORY HAGGAN Mr. & Mrs. Frank Haggar

SPICER PLUMBING & ELECTRIC Dear Sante Claus, Please Sante Claus, I want a bike and a dog toy for Christmas. Santa Claus, I want a boy car and a toy Santa Claus. toy, too. Santa Claus, I will see you next time and want a lot of surprises. JEFFERY ALLAN HUTTO Mr. & Mrs. Alan Hutto

Dear Santa Claus, Can you get me a 22 rifle and a mini-bike? love, JOSEPH MARK Mr. & Mrs. Adolph Westerling

table and some school supp-lies and lots of surprises. But I would like something better than that. It is nothing cause I've been bad. Your friend, REGAN BAKER Mr. & Mrs. Edward Baker

the message of that Holy Night light the way for us today, to the blessings of lasting Peace and Good Will

Your Warm Friendship Makes Us Feel Droud. Thank You. YOUR ELECTED

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Love, WINFRED HORSTEAD Mr. & Mrs. Willie C. Horstead a bbgun and a go cart magic Dear Santa Claus I want a bicycle and a tape

recorder. I want and Evil

ove, NEPOLION BURROWS

I want a mini-bike and a

good reindeers.

GROVER WILLIAMS

and a lot of surprises.

JEROME NELSON

my surprises good.

Dear Santa Claus

I want

Your friend

STEPHANIE SMITH

for now Santa. From your friend,

lots of surprises.

GAVIN CRAMTON

AMELIA JOLLY

STEVE SASSER

Dear Santa:

TERREALL HAMMONS

and do

JOHNNY EARL KELLEY

Love JACKIE JERKINS

& Mrs. Andrean Jerkins

Mr. & Mrs. Willie Kelley

Love you Santa Claus.

i want a bike for Christ-

Mr. & Mrs. Joseph Burrows Santa, I would like to be Dear Santa Claus. your help. Santa, I want a I want a bicycle. I want a
BB-gun please santa please
acing car and I want a bassanta, ho ho ho ho. Do you racing car and I want a basketball and a BB gun and a ho ho ho? Thank you santa, heap of surprises santa, I love you , thank you. Love, KEN HEAD Santa, I want a go car. Thank Mrs. Irene Page

FREDDIE CALDWELL

cookies and milk.

ALLEN McGINSTY

by Airplane and two walkie Dear Santa I would like a bike and a go-cart and a watch and a i i joe for Christmas. talkies for Christmas and a lot NAPOLEON TILLIS

> I would like a ten-speed bike, Tom Sawyer Doll, camera, Nerf football, Miss Americe Game, Denim purse, football shoes and a lot of surprises. I will have you something under the tree. Your friend, STACEY CARPENTER

I want TV Magic cards. want a dog and cat and a bb I want a tape recorder and a watch. How are the elfs? I gun and some bbs - 20 packs. And some surprises and gohope that you have a good trip. carts and \$50. You have a long list of toys to check. You have to load the RICHARD LOWERY sled and I hope that you have

I would like a phone. My Mr. & Mrs. Grover Williams brother wants a car and I am going to make my mother I would like a 22 rifle and a horse and a 12 gage shot-

Love, GREG BOWERS Mr. & Mrs. Verne Rathbone Please bring me a bicycle, AM-FM radio, go-cart, ring, watch, skates, shoes, clothes, How are you at the north socks, necklace, purse. Will ole? I hope you have a good you please bring me a TV Magic set. a walkie talkie and a BB gun LANA LEE

Mr. & Mrs. Leroy Nelson Dear Santa: I would like a bulletin board, sleeping bag, Tom Sawyer and Becky Doll, Miss America Game, Password mas and a candy cane and some nice surprises and lots more bracelet, denim purse, tape for Christmas. Make all of surprises. Thanks a lot. GINA DONALDSON

> Please bring me a bicycle, ring, watch, saddle, radio and TABATHA MILLER Dear Santa: Please send me a bunch of

clothes, walkie talkies, bar-bies, a watch and lots of sur-

prises. Thank you. I would like a fold up bike, WENDY BOWERS a AM-FM radio, a nerf foot-ball, a Holly Hobby, a Happiness Game, a Denim Purse I would like for you to and bracelet, a bunch of sur-prises. Thank you. I will have something under the tree for My brother would like a play

ALEAH & HUNTER HUDSON stance, came in with the au-I want a ten-speed bike I would like a movie footand a six million dollar set ball game and a nerf football. and a robot and that is all

Dear Santa: to decorate for a festive sea-son goes back a thousand Santa, I would like to be your helper and bring me a I want a bicycle, six million watch and a go-cart and bring Christ. The custom began dollar man doll, BB gun, Walk- me a hound dog named Elvis ie Talkie, FM-AM radio and and bring me a football and a six million dollar man. C. SAMBO COOPER

Please bring me a Bible I would like to have a and a ring and a ten-speed record player and some records. I would also like have a ice bird and a ice machine and some TV magic cards. I would like a doll with a baby bed. And a lots I would like some TV Magic cards and a b-b gun and a Six Million Dollar Man and LINDA FAYE BALDWIN

a few cars and trucks and a robot and some clothes and a Dear Santa: V Magic set and a Planet I want a bike and I want a Of the Apes Set, and a radio ice cream machine. Then I and Star Treck set. I will want some TV magic cards. eave you some milk and cook- Me and my sister want an ice cream soda machine. And lots of other things Love, LAURA FILLMON

I will like to have a ten-speed bike, TV Magic cards, I wood I wood like a baby-thatmagic game, watch and a Diary, away and a tv set and I want candy, ring, Barbie Doll, cama bike and a map EVELYN LORI McDONALD

ear Santa Claus: I would like a bike and a I will leave some cookies kick ball. I would like some and milk for you. I want a toys and a tent. I would like watch, dusty, boot skates, size some clothes and some books 2, record player. and a lot of surprises. TERESA STOKES FALISHA ROBINSON

Dear Santa: I want a ring, a bracelet, a necklace, a doll, a paint I want a bb gun to and some. and Some mage car go and set. I will leave you something. Your friend, ALLEN RICHDSON Love LYNN BRAGG

How are you doing? I want Dear Santa: I would like a bb gun, a snoopy tooth brush and some clothes. I know it has been man. I will leave you some hard for you this year. I will leave you some milk and cookies under the tree. RICKEY MADDOX

> I want a go car for Christ-SAM HARBUCK

different forms.

stays the same.

basic spirit of Christmas,

ment, fun and feasting.

Right now in this commu-

Like families of yesteryear,

greens, with the warmth of

a glowing hearth and the gleam of a lighted tree, with

stockings hung by the chim-

candles, though these beckon

rather than from the tree.

Exchanging Gifts

high on the gifts list.

pect at Christmas

All these ways of celebrat-

ing are part of the legend

Exchanging gifts at Christ-

mas is one of the most time-

honored of customs, and toys,

dolls and games for the chil-

dren have always ranked

however, just one important

girl, perhaps, and a toy ac-

cordion for her brother—was

all that youngsters might ex-

Though Santa is more

bountiful nowadays, the gifts

yesteryear in at least one

way. They reflect the inter-

dress in the favorite styles

show the influence of current

tomobile, while today more

take advantage of modern

technological developments.

Using Greens

complex types of wheel toys

Use of greens and garlands

with the ancient Egyptians.

pagan festivals were later

merged with the celebration

of Christmas, and evergreens,

because they stay green

Many of the traditions of

of the moment. Toys, too,

In the not-so-long-ago,

ney with care and even with

they celebrate with gifts and

When Families Gather

ways of celebrating Christ- be regarded as the Christmas

Today's Christmas tree is Decorating the Tree

apt to be plastic or alumi- Many ancient legends as-

num, rather than nature's sociate trees with Christmas.

own fir, spruce or pine. The One is that on the first Holy

glow of tiny beeswax candles Night, all the trees of the

on a tree is only a memory, forest blossomed and bore

Jolly Santa, once trans- Christmas tree with orna-

ported only by reindeer- ments may have started with

drawn sleigh, may now ar- an attempt to create the ef-

rive by helicopter or jet plane. fect of snow on the branches.

essence of the season, the of cotton were used.

But in spite of changes, the Strings of popcorn and tufts

Christmastide is, above all, Martin Luther started the

a time for togetherness and custom of lighting the tree,

rejoicing. And a modern legend says.

Christmas, just like an oldTo symbolize stars glowing

fashioned Christmas, calls forth on a snow-filled win-

for gatherings of family and ter's night, he placed lighted

friends, with much merri- candles on his family's tra-

the holiday with just such Today's fireplaces, though

gatherings, such merriment, smaller in scale than those

nity, families are celebrating Burning the Log

Lighting the Tree

ditional Christmas tree.

tom of burning the log.

soon to return.

of yesteryear, symbolize at

The Yule log was adapted

Christmas the age-old cus-

to Christmas celebration

from the Scandinavian prac-

tice of building huge bonfires

represented the spring sun

St. Nicholas, so legend says,

the dowries of poor spinsters

chimney on Christmas Eve,

He tossed the gold down a

and on one occasion the gift

landed in a stocking hung by

A tangerine or an orange

come to be symbolic of the

Many Christmas greens

used today were once pagan

symbols. Flowers and leafy

boughs were used in Roman

ivy and bay in their religious

season. Though it is now a favorite holiday houseplant,

the poinsettia is a relative

newcomer to the customs of

It was discovered by, and

later named for, Joel R. Poin-

sett. When he was serving as

1828, Dr. Poinsett sent a cut-

ting of the plant to a friend.

but it was not until 1906 that

Growers became interested.

U.S. minister to Mexico in

Christmas.

in the toe of a stocking has

the fireplace to dry.

ABOUT GREENS

Dolls, yesterday and today, Poinsettia Shows

Hanging Stockings

mas have taken on many symbol of eternal life.

It's Christmas!



The Hanging of the Grane

PAGE 6-C

O fortunate, O happy day! When a new household finds its place Among the myriad homes of earth, Like a new star just sprung to birth And rolled on its harmonius way Into the boundless realms of space! So said the guests in speech and song, As in the chimney burning bright, We hung the iron crane to-night, And merry was the feast and long.

replaced now by strings of fruit.
twinkling electric lights.

The idea of adorning the and merry Christmas we gather to joyously sing out, "Hello," To you and all those you hold dear,

a holiday filled with lots of cheer! HAYES FUNERAL HOME Elba, Al.



May your good times never be snarled, and may the joys of close-knit fellowship never Season's Colors be unraveled. We have greatly Showing the colors of appreciated your patronage. Thanks. Christmas, red and green, the tropical poinsettia adorns

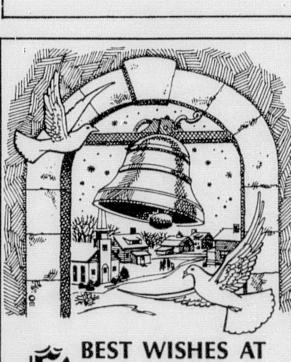
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0 69- MAT PAGE 27 TRADITIONALLY, CHRISTMAS IS A FAMILY DAY. An oldfashioned Christmas, pictured above in an illustration created especially for the enjoyment of the readers of this newspaper, had much in common with a modern Christmas - gifts, greens trees, flowers and, of course, a happy family gathering



We're hoping the holiday brings you many joys shared with loved ones. It has been a pleasure to serve you. CURTIS SEED & FEED 493-7641

THE ELBA CLIPPER DECEMBER 25, 1975

Dear Santa

Dear Santa Claus: I live in New Brockton, Alabama. I go to New Brockton School. My teacher is Mrs. Crook. I am in the second grade. I want a doll and a Easy Bake Oven. My Address is Route 1, Box c-18 South street, New Brockton, Alabama. Love, VICTORIA HORNSBY

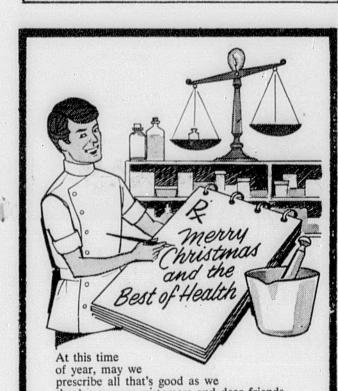
I am in the second grade -my name is Steffon Knox. I want a football suit and a Brockton school Love to you; STEFFON

Dear Santa Claus, I want a bank-o-magic,



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merry, bright and happy. And

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B.J. Williams

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mas this year. I am in the sceond grade. I am 7. route 4, box 138,

8, 1968. Mrs. Crook. I go to New

years old now. I will leave you some cookies in the front room. I go to New Brockton school. My teacher's name is Mrs. Crook. I hope I will see you, Dear Santa. CHRISTA COLE Dear Santa Claus I go to New Brockton school. My teacher is Mrs. Crook. I want some clothes, and a

RUTHANN HARTLEY Dear Santa; I am writing you to tell you what I want for Christmas. I would like to have a horse, for Christmas and I would like to have a watch too. Please bring me a lot of surprises. I like you very much. Love, JEFFREY CREEL

P. S. I go to school at New Brockton . My teacher is Mrs. Crook. If you don't know where I live, just leave my surprises at school. I will get them later.

I have been a good boy this year. I have helped my mother with my little brother. Since I have tried to be good, please don't forget to leave me some toys this year. I would like a typewriter, some planet of the Ape men, the Six Million Dollar Man, and lots of surprizes. love you, Santa CHUK ADKISON

I have been good all the year. I am in the second grade. My teacher's name is Mrs. Crook. My school is New Brockton. I am 7 years old. I do my Lessons every day. For magic and a black board an a baby tears doll and a lots of surprises. Merry Christmas. Love, KESHIA GOOSBY

Dear Santa Claus I go to New Brockton Schol. Myteacher is Mrs. Crook. I am 7 years old. I would like a teddy bear. bike, jewelry box, socker bockers, Mickey Mouse watch, and a purse, and a lots of surprises. Love, JESSICA BIRCHFIELD

Dear Santa Claus. This is Mark. I am in the second grade. My teacher is Mrs. Crook. I go to school at New Brockton. I want a Rockem Sockem Robot and a watch, Walkie talkie, and a lot of surprises. Look on the table for your surprise.
MARK ANDERSON

bubble gum bank for Christ- Dear Santa Claus: 36323. My name is Sangela Caldwell. my birthday is July

My name is Sandra. Iam in Mrs. Crook's Second Grade Class at New Brockton, I am 7 vrs. old. I want a watch and Sun Shine family dolls and a camper. and a lot of sur-prises for Christmas. Love I want a big wheel, and a thing that digs dirt, a tent to Love, SANDRA MADDOX

CHRIS GRANTHAM Dear Santa Claus; I have been Good, I am 8 TATE GATLIN

KENNETH Dear Santa lots of prizes. Merry Christjeep with trailor. Love, BRETT BRYAN

Dear Santa I would like an Evel Knie-

SISSY SANDERS

that's all. Dear Santa.

alive and a bycle.
TRACEY LOWERY

Dear Santa Clause, My name is Chris Senn, and I am in the 2nd grade in Mrs. Crook's room at New Brockton School. I have been a good boy this year. For Christmas want a bee-bee gun, and a lot of bee-bees, a truck, and a lot of surprises. CHRIS SENN

I live in New Brockton go to New Brockton school. I am in the second grade. My teacher is Mrs. Crook. I want a Magic hat and a Magic shot shooting gallery. And Merry Christmas to you.

Love, JON PAUL SAWYER KINDERGARTEN

A treehouse with people, coat, bykcle, big wagon.

Please bring me a Evel Dear Santa, Knievel, and a bycle, or try-Please bring me a Evel Knievel, race car, mickey mouse hanger, that's all. KEVIN MATTHEWS I want a Six million man. evel Knievel and a new scabber

vel - when I get big a motorcyle that stunts SHANE SPURLING Dear Santa. I would like a rifle, arrow,

ASHLY WISE Dear Santa. Please bring me a Baby doll and bottle, bed for baby and a teaset.

Dear Santa. I would like a Baby alive bottle too, stove, refrigerator, Love, TINA SANDERS I want a sunshine family

Baby alive and bottle, I don't want anything else KRYSTI OWENS Dear Santa. Please bring me a Baby

I want a Baby doll house chain saw and hammer, beds cover and palet. CANDI STOKES

Please bring me a chain GEE-GEE STOKES I would like a baby doll

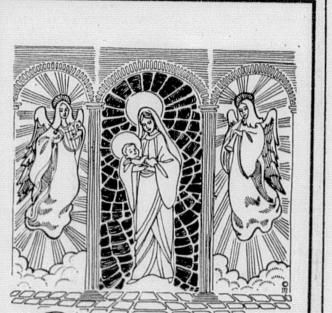
SCOTT MOLTON

Please bring me a Sunshine family - motorcycle -MELISSA JOHNSON Dear Santa, Pizza hut, motorcycle, that's all. TERESA BREWER

Dear Santa, Please bring me a Baby Eliza, easy bake oven and a surprise.
MELISSA JOHNSON

Dear Santa, Motorcycle - that's all I **BUBBA JOHNSON**

I would like a Noah's ark and a tent.
JOHN LINDSEY



Good Tidings Let the eternal light of love, the

every heart, bringing peace to all.

SEARS of Elba

G. I. joe - g i Joe helicopter, Evel Knievel - evel
I wanta B RYDER McCOLLOUGH

Please bring me a Baby

alive, bycle, that's all.

STACEY SPEARS

that's all

Live Baby doll - tea set, Dear Santa: helicopter, surprise. I have been a good boy. Please bring me a pinball

I want a baby doll, spinning Dear Santa: wheel, teaset, record player, I want you to please bring me a football helmet and foot-LUCINDA BYRD

DAMON JONES

Age 4

To the Christmas season, we say,

'Welcome!" To our good friends and patrons,

we say, "Thanks and the best of everything always!"

ball and airplane. I will leave the door open for you. I have been a good Ray helped put up the tree Please bring me: 1. Evel Knevil Dragster 2. Super Toe I will leave you a surprise. It will be an orange and cof-

machine and some surprises.

ies and coffee.

Age 4

RICK STELLNER

I will leave you some cook-

Please bring me a baby I want a Baby valaway, rubthat wets, baby Balaway, sit GAMIN MCINTOSH HEATHER MIMS

> ed of items. A swing set, a I would like a Thundersink and a bathtub baby and shift 500, a Spinwelder, racemany funfilled surprises. So you will know where I live nose" truck. Thank you. the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Roger Goodson. RHETT McCOLLOUGH

clothes 5. Talking JJ

CHIP MULARZ

I Love You and Thanks

Love, STEPHANIE GOODSON Dear Santa: My name is Chip Mularz and I am 4 years old. I have not been a very good boy but Dear Santa. I want a baby doll, bycle, please bring me a few things. You can have a piece of and wagon.
peppermint candy and some TIFFANY PARKER be under the tree. My Uncle

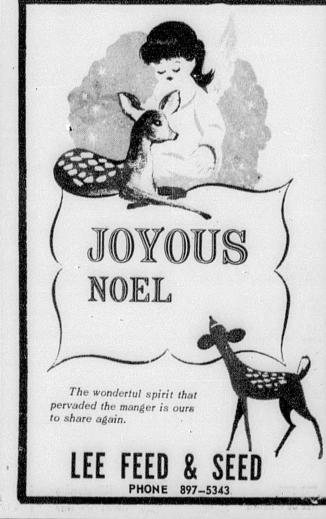
All I want for Christmas 3. Magic Hat & Tricks 4. Lot is some toys and some close and a Six Million Dollar Ma I have tryed to be good. THOMAS CALHOUN

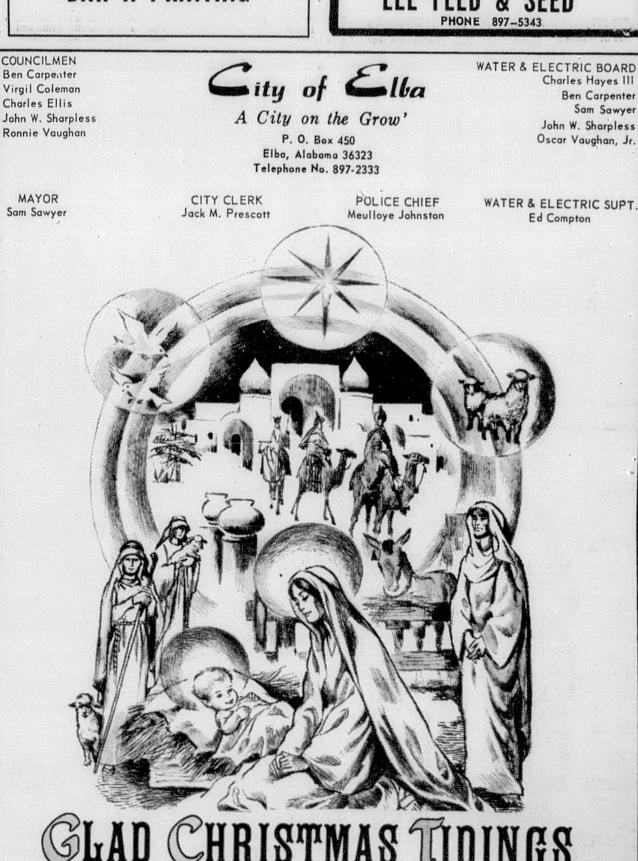
I have been a good little

girl this year. I have learned

many new things and explored

please bring me these dream-





May the peace and joy which radiates from the heart of the

Holy Child, fill you and yours with the wonder and splendor of this Blessed Season. And may the miracle of His coming be an inspiration and comfort to you always. Best wishes for a joyous Christmas.

POOR ORIGINAL

Thristmas Arectings



As voices are raised in joyful caroling, the spirit of a Merry Christmas resounds warmly in our hearts. At this most festive of all seasons, we wish you and yours the happiest of holidays. Thank you for your continued good will which indeed makes our day-to-day business a privilege and pleasure.

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